

SALTZGABER CHOSEN TO HEAD NATIONAL G.A.R. AT MILWAUKEE

Election Came at 7 o'Clock After Announcement Had Been Made Earlier That it Had Been Postponed Until This Morning—Post Flag of State of Arizona Stands Unfurled

(By the Associated Press)
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 6.—Gaylord M. Saltzgaber, of Van Wert, Ohio, was unanimously elected commander-in-chief of the National Grand Army of the Republic shortly before 7 P. M., today, after announcement had been made earlier that the election had been postponed until tomorrow morning.

Opposing Commander Saltzgaber were Frank L. Walsh of Milwaukee and Dr. L. F. Arnstour of Uniontown, Pa., both of whom were declared in the race to the finish at the opening of the afternoon session. Commander-in-chief James W. Willett called for the report of the committee on resolution and a heated debate which lasted for more than two hours developed following introduction of a resolution sponsored by the New York department which when finally adopted will permit the sons of veterans to attend post meetings but will not permit them a vote in the deliberations of the organizations.

POLITICAL TYPHOON DEVELOPING FROM ACTION OF ITALY

Nations go on Record
Insisting Respect
of Covenant

(By the Associated Press)
GENEVA, Sept. 6.—The storm over Italy's refusal to recognize the authority of the league of nations to regulate her dispute with Greece gives no indication of diminishing. On the contrary, signs of developing into a political typhoon of the first degree. Representatives of world states like Belgium, Sweden and Uruguay went on record today as insisting upon respect for the league covenant and as being unflinchingly convinced that Italy should submit the controversy to the league for settlement. The cause of world peace demanded the very life of the league itself was at stake several of the statesmen declared before the council's session; if the covenant was defied, precious guarantees for the smaller nations of the earth would cease to exist. The council again avoided taking direct league action on the Italian attitude towards the league but endeavored to advance a compromise plan calculated to hasten solution of the Greek-Italian crisis thru the collaboration of the league of nations and the council of ambassadors. This plan was put forward by the panish member of the council, Count Quinones De Leon. It was adopted but the minutes of today's session should be forwarded to the Paris body for its endorsement.

Signor Salandra head of the Italian delegation absolutely refused to accept all parts of the resolution presented which engaged that Italy recognize the competence of the league to intervene and even questioned the right of the council of ambassadors to settle the question of general reparation which Italy has demanded of Greece because of the murder of the Italian officer.

Among the suggestions made by the Spanish proposal was that league representatives should assist in the official inquiry into the assassination—and that the permanent court of international (Continued on Page Four)

Ford Takes Matter Under Advisement

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Henry Ford took under advisement today a request by Secretary of War Weeks, concurred by President Coolidge to modify his offer for the purchase and use of the government's power and nitrate projects at Muscle Shoals, Ala. Mr. Ford is expected to give his final decision after thorough consideration at Detroit.

Secretary Weeks is understood to have asked Mr. Ford to eliminate the Gorgas power plant on the Warrior river from his proposal for the operation of the Muscle Shoals property.

Secretary Weeks is said to be

Heve that the government would be compelled under a contract agreement to sell the Gorgas plant to the Alabama Power company and that the plant could be eliminated without sacrificing the end the Detroit manufacturer has in view.

Neither President Coolidge or Secretary Weeks was willing that the Alabama Power company should be allowed to buy the Gorgas plant until Mr. Ford had been consulted. The power company had formerly offered \$3,000,000 for the plant, and if the sale is executed it is understood that this sum would be deducted from the \$5,000,000 which Mr. Ford offered for the Gorgas plant and the nitrate factories.

FARMER'S INCOME FOR 1923 CROPS UNDER DISPUTE

Farm Bureau Director
Says Estimate is
Not Correct

(By the Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—A statement that the farmer's income for this year's crops will be \$1,000,000,000 more than for last was challenged today by H. W. Moorhouse, director of the American Farm Bureau Federation's Research department. The \$1,000,000,000 increase estimated this year is not borne out, he said, by studies of sales from farms in which an attempt has been made to arrive at gross cash income from sales of all products.

"Cash income is more significant than the hypothetical value of crops which is the basis of the billion dollars figure," Mr. Moorhouse declared. "The estimated billion dollar increase in income was based upon the July production forecasts for 12 crops and prices as of July 1. This method of computation does not give a true income figure for two reasons. The first is that about half the crops produced never leave the farm and so do not figure directly in income. The second is that July crop prices are usually about the highest of the year."

"Such a computation would indicate that corn would bring \$600,000,000 more than last year. This assumes that the entire crop is sold as corn. Forty per cent of the corn crop is sold as pork, about 15 per cent as beef, and only about 20 per cent as corn."

"Corn in all forms will yield the farmer practically the same income this year as last, with the pork and beef price trends taken into consideration."

"The grand total of farm sales for 1923-24 will total \$8,710,479,000,000 for 1922-23."

"Our estimates of sales indicate an increase of \$200,000,000 in the farmers' total income."

DECIDES TO MAKE DIRECT OVERTURES IN RUHR DEADLOCK

Chancellor Stresemann Will
Have Backing of the
Country

(By the Associated Press)
ESSEN, Sept. 6.—If the government of Chancellor Stresemann decides to make direct overtures to France and Belgium to end the Ruhr deadlock, regardless of what Great Britain does it will have the support of an overwhelming proportion of the industrial leaders and of the German population generally, provided German sovereignty in the occupied territories is granted.

This opinion was expressed to the correspondent of the Associated Press today by a prominent manufacturer who requested that "for obvious reasons," his name be not mentioned. The manufacturer declared that there was now no use in hiding the fact that everybody felt it was time to begin to do everything possible to bring to an end an impossible economic situation.

"We are ready," said the manufacturer, "to discuss any sort of settlement which would leave each side with a reasonable amount of honor and of the manufacturers and heads of industry see there is no use of further counting on Great Britain. We must realize that if Germany France and Belgium could throw away pride and come to reason we could reach an accord that would be best for all concerned."

"For our part we are willing to meet them half way."

WEATHER MEAN TO FAIR ASSOCIATION

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 6.—Because the weather man failed to send two one hundredths of an inch of rain, more this afternoon, the Fairbury Fair association was unable to claim \$2,000 rain insurance.

WEATHER

Illinois: Fair Friday and Saturday, cooler Friday.

Temperatures

	Current	Maximum	Minimum
Jacksonville, Ill.	69	81	67
Boston	62	72	60
Buffalo	70	82	62
New York	70	82	64
Jacksonville, Fla.	80	90	76
New Orleans	76	92	72
Chicago	70	79	70
Detroit	72	82	64
Omaha	70	82	66
Minneapolis	68	84	64
Helena	72	82	64
San Francisco	80	84	62
Winnipeg	60	72	50
Cincinnati	76	84	70

Will You Answer the Cry of the Suffering

So staggering is the disaster which has befallen the Japanese people words fail to express it!

The dead and dying are piled high in the streets of stricken cities. The cries of refugee women and children echo 'round the world!

The AMERICAN RED CROSS society now appeals directly to you for your cooperation.

H. J. Rodgers, chairman, and H. M. Capps, vice chairman, of the Morgan county chapter of the Red Cross, have received the call from the Central Division headquarters for this county to raise \$1,700.

The need is great as hundreds of thousands are homeless. Still others are dying from lack of food and exposure. The loss of property is so great that it can hardly be estimated.

Will you help?

Do it quickly. Send your check to the Red Cross society office in Public Library building, or leave your contribution at any Morgan county bank or at Journal or Courier offices in Jacksonville.

Meagre Dispatches Tell Nature of Quake

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The appalling nature of the Japanese earthquake, fire and tidal waves, with the greatest loss of life and property of any similar catastrophe in modern times, continues to be told by meagre and unconnected press dispatches and private messages from foreign residents and tourists who survived the holocaust. But Europe still awaits the graphic story of how the earth shook to pieces and then consumed in flames Japan's capital and scores of towns around Tokyo bay including the great commercial port of Yokohama.

On the whole the news received today was of a more hopeful nature than any since the disaster, one authoritative message from a British naval officer at Yokohama placing the deaths of foreigners at the port at 70. Even this number of dead which is small as compared with first reports is large for a foreign colony of a few thousands and indicated that the loss of life among the native population may reach the highest reported figures.

The only official estimate is based on Home Office information from Tokyo that the loss of life there was 30,000 but Yokohama is known to have suffered much more severely than the capital city, and the home office figures do not attempt to take into consideration the one hundred miles of coast line towns and villages all in the path of the tidal waves.

All available information shows that Tokyo and Yokohama were not totally destroyed, the foreign residential district of the Port City which is on a high bluff overlooking the bay having suffered comparatively little damage while the residential suburban districts of Tokyo also escaped.

UMBRELLA MIKE'S EFFORT TO GET OUT OF SENTENCE FAILS

Court Orders Him Back in
Custody of the
Sheriff

(By the Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Michael "Umbrella Mike" Boyle, Chicago labor leader who declared this afternoon he would be out of custody before night, must wait until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning before he learns whether he is to serve the six months jail sentence imposed on him for refusal to testify before a Lake county grand jury investigating alleged jury tampering in Governor Len Small's trial.

Judge Thomas J. Lynch, sitting today in the hearing on a petition for writ of habeas brought by Boyle's attorney said he would reserve decision in the matter until that time, ordering Boyle remained to the custody of the Lake county sheriff in the meantime.

Boyle was brought by automobile from Waukegan where he had paid a \$100 fine and begun his jail sentence, imposed on a contempt charge when he refused to testify.

Boyle was a fugitive from justice for several months.

RETURNS PAINTING; THEN SUICIDES

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 6.—(By the A. P.)—The priceless masterpiece, "The Entombment of Christ" which was stolen recently from the Crocker Art Gallery at Sacramento has been received by the San Francisco Call accompanied by an unsigned note reading:

"God has forgiven me. You will find my body in Stow Lake."

FOUR ARE KILLED AND 27 INJURED IN POWDER BLAST

Thousand of Cases of
Smokeless Powder
are Exploded

(By the Associated Press)

SOUTH AMBOY, N. J., Sept. 6.—Three men and a boy were killed and twenty-seven persons were injured, probably fatally by an explosion tonight of thousands of cases of smokeless powder which were being transferred from barges to freight cars on the banks of the Raritan river.

The explosion, caused by a cooking fire on one of the barges, rocked the entire countryside, blew automobiles upside down on the road nearby and enveloped everyone within a hundred yards in a sheet of flame. Two of the men killed were Winston Taylor and William Trench of Newark. The third was unidentified. The boy, whose body has not been recovered, was blown into the river.

The powder consisted of a shipment of 168,000 cases belonging to the Atlas Powder company.

Captain Emory Foss of Addison, Maine, and Captain Robert Brown of New York, commanding the barges, said that sparks from a cooking fire on one of the barges blew across the docks, igniting several other barges and finally the freight cars.

The train of burning cars was immediately hauled from the scene blazing and left standing on a trestle bridge crossing the main automobile road. Motorists slowed down to watch the fire, ignorant of what the cars contained. The first explosion stalled all of the motors and those in the automobiles were left helpless.

Before those near the bridge had a chance to escape there followed a second and a third explosion, as additional freight cars were swept by the flames. At each blast the air for a hundred yards around was filled with white flame.

Several women in automobiles passing under the bridge were enveloped in flames their light summer dresses catching fire readily.

Firemen and ambulance surgeons found men and women, their clothes in tatters, running madly about beating one another in futile efforts to put out the flames. The injured were hurried to hospitals.

EFFORTS TO COPE WITH THE FALLING MARK ARE FUTILE

Situation in Germany is
Growing More
Critical

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, Sept. 6.—A Ruter despatch from Berlin comments on the failure of all of Chancellor Stresemann's efforts to cope with the falling mark as pointing in the direction of the financial disaster.

The despatch says the official price of the mark today was 150,000,000 to the pound sterling, but that 200,000,000 marks were offered unofficially and that nobody would be surprised to see the unit of value touch 300,000,000 next week. None of the government restrictions or regulations seems to have the slightest effect on the demand for foreign currencies and more drastic measures seem inevitable.

The creation of a new gold currency is being discussed by the commission of the economic council and by the Socialist trades unions. It is added that there is no doubt that an increasingly large section of the German people are beginning to realize that Germany's only hope of salvation lies in arriving at an agreement with France on the reparation and Ruhr problems.

Naturally, it is declared, capitulation in the Ruhr is out of the question for no government could survive that and it is not improbable there would be a good many dead German ministers in Berlin. Any step therefore by France which would help the German government out of its present embarrassing situation in the Ruhr would be eagerly seized upon.

The correspondent says the situation is so critical that the British ambassador has postponed his intended departure for England.

MAN KILLED; CROSSING WATCHMAN DROPS DEAD

Hammond, Ind., Sept. 6.—William Higgins, crossing watchman at Whiting, near here, dropped dead today when a train struck an automobile at the crossing he tended, killing the driver of the machine. John Resetar, Whiting park commissioner, the man killed, is said to have disregarded the watchman's warning and the latter after witnessing the crash, fell dead.

STORY OF TULSA IS TOLD IN TESTIMONY GIVEN OUT THURSDAY

Aldrich Blake, Executive Counsellor, Gave
Press an Account of Some of the Brutal
Floggings—Says That the Whole Story
of Tulsa Will Never be Completely Told

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Sept. 6.—Unfolding the story of Tulsa, as gleaned from sworn testimony taken before a military court, Aldrich Blake, executive counsellor, presented to the press tonight an account of some of the brutal floggings that led Governor J. C. Walton to invoke martial law in Tulsa county. Detailing a series of whippings, only a few of those that have spread terror for more than a year in many Tulsa county homes, Mr. Blake said: "Thru the 1,200 pages of testimony runs the same brutal refrain. Its always the klan or some members of the klan."

"In every case thus far examined, except two which have not proceeded very far, the evidence has led straight to the doorstep of the Invisible Empire, known as the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. Not an alien has been accused. Not a breath of suspicion against a single Tulsa citizen except members of the imperial organization."

"No arrests had ever been made until the military court convened," he said. "Except in one or two instances where the police called and immediately returned to the station no investigation has ever been made of anyone of these and dozens of other cases now under investigation. This is according to the sworn testimony."

Declaring that the expose was only the first chapter of the story, the executive counsellor promised revelation in the near future of other phases of the conflict between visible and invisible government.

"The whole story of Tulsa will never be told," he said. "Men flee from savagery and torture. Scores of Tulsa victims fled. The average man is pretty apt to change his address after his skin has been whipped until it is raw and then he is threatened with death if he tells."

"That is exactly what happened in Tulsa not once but many times. Say 50 times, or 100 times or perhaps 200 times, in a little more than a year."

"The wet rope is out of style," said Mr. Blake. "In Tulsa they use a leather strap. It is about three inches wide, perhaps four feet long. The end of the strap is cat-tailed—sliced into three straps. Fifty lashes will tame the strongest man. A mile and a quarter southwest of Tulsa is Tulsa county's most famous whipping pasture. Strong men stagger away, ruined for life."

A mother roughly dealt with when a band of 20 men raid her home and beat her husband—a child born prematurely as the result, a member of a township school board abducted by floggers and coerced into voting for a school head whom he opposed; an elderly man, lashed because he opposed the way the local school was run; a man and a woman routed out of their beds and taken to the whipping field where the strap was applied to both because the whippers charged that they had been selling beer—were among the cases related by Blake from the testimony.

Klansman Testifies
And, according to Blake, a klansman, who attended a whipping party, testified:

"I think there were about 150 men out there. They were all disguised with old hats and old coats and with handkerchiefs tied over their eyes. They had two prisoners there standing near a telephone pole. The one that was whipped first was told to leave the country. A man from some other town talked to the prisoners. I didn't know him—you see they usually have a man from some other clan—a stranger in the community—to take charge. It is well arranged."

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Both union officials and representatives of the mine operators agreed to meet Governor Pinchot again at 3 P. M. tomorrow for further negotiations.

Governor Pinchot's protracted attempt to bring operators and miners to an agreement upon the four points which he tendered as a basis of settlement of the difficulty, had been successful in part, he announced at the conclusion of executive sessions with them today. He gave out a summary of the situation upon which Mr. Lewis would make no comment, but which S. D. Warriner, chairman of the operator's policy committee declared to be acceptable. In it the operators were represented to have left out all of the demands for arbitration of wage scales.

The union leaders and the operators' group, the governor said had agreed upon definitions for the various terms. The governor's original settlement proposal, he pointed out, had involved grants of the eight hour day, full recognition of the union by the operators, a uniform increase of ten per cent for all employees and the recognition of collective bargaining in the industry. It had been agreed that in establishing the eight hour day that men whose working hours should be reduced would be given incentive.

Prominent Woman Is Dead At Bloomington

(By the Associated Press)
BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Sept. 6.—Mrs. Frank H. Funk, wife of Congressman Funk of the seventh district of Illinois, died this afternoon at her home in this city after a week's illness. She had been in failing health for several months.

Mrs. Funk leaves her husband and three children. Her son, Benjamin F. Funk is a student at Yale. Her daughters, Mary and Florence, have been with their mother in Washington during the past year.

Mrs. Funk was Miss Florence Riser of Chicago, prior to her marriage to Mr. Funk in 1895.

She has been prominent for many years in women's educational and philanthropic work in Illinois. She was district president of the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs, was vice-president of the National Federation of College Women, director of the Equal Suffrage association of Illinois, director of the Illinois Parent-Teachers' association, member of the Vassar Alumni association of the Political Equality League of Chicago, of the College club of Chicago and of the Woman's City club of Chicago. During the World War she was a member of the executive committee of the Woman's State Council of Defense and spent practically all of her time promoting the war work of that society from 1917 to 1919.

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DR. THOMAS SMITH IS
SPEAKER AT KIWANIS

Discusses Articles in Club Publication—Club May Promote Coffer-Miller Players' Performance Here—Hope to Finish Cabin Tomorrow.

Rev. Thomas W. Smith, chairman of the Kiwanis educational committee, was the speaker at the regular club meeting yesterday. He recently returned from an extended vacation, and was asked to make a brief address to the members. Rev. Smith drew his material from three articles in the August number of the Kiwanis magazine. The first article mentioned was written by Glen Frank, editor of the Century Magazine, who was the speaker at the Illinois Woman's college commencement last June. In this article, Mr. Frank pointed out the improbability of saving our present civilization, without the gathering of certain wholesome ideas and ideals and putting them into practical application. Dr. Smith did not altogether agree with the writer, but thought the dangers of decay and death of civilization not to be held lightly.

In a second article International

Trustee Pyatt of Kiwanis brought out the fact that Kiwanis was a non-sectarian, anti-factional and constructive organization. Dr. Smith emphasized the statement of ex-President Harding, that factionalism has been on the increase in America for some time. The speaker made an appeal for the abandonment of plots and counter-plots, of secret meetings and efforts to excite factional prejudice. He called for union in the common interest and praised Kiwanis and other clubs of its kind for their representative membership and broad scope. It may be possible that civilization is to be saved, not so much by individuals, as by groups of men banded together in clubs like Kiwanis and Rotary.

What America Needs

In the third article mentioned by the speaker, a professor endeavored to answer the question, "Is the United States Constitution Outgrown?" The author insists that something is necessary besides the material prosperity and progress of the nation to keep the provisions of the constitution intact. That something is a spiritual impetus that shall make character. Dr. Smith went on to emphasize the Kiwanis motto, "We Build," declaring that nothing permanent could be built without God. This is what America needs; a return to God and Christ.

The club and other organizations might build camps, gymnasiums, hotels and other material structures, but it must also build human character by getting hold of the boys and girls of the community and instilling in their lives some of the great fundamentals of the God life.

Following Dr. Smith's address, President Rowe called upon Rev. George E. Stickney, who has also returned from an extended vacation in the north. He called attention to the good work done by the club in entertaining the underprivileged children at the river this summer. The boys never tired of talking of the day the club members spent with them at the camp. Rev. Stickney felt that some of the work of character building which had been mentioned was done during the summer and that the club should keep in touch with the children thru the year and help them in whatever way possible.

B. F. Shafer also spoke briefly, saying that he had been hard at work in school all summer and was glad to get back to the club.

Previous to the addresses the president made a report of matters which were considered at a recent meeting of the Kiwanis board of directors.

May Bring Players Here

The club is considering a proposition of the Coffer-Miller Players to stage in this city the comedy, "Androcles and the Lion" by which means the club hopes to raise funds to carry on some Scout projects and work among underprivileged children during the coming year. The Players have appeared in this city twice under the auspices of the Girls' club of the high school. This year the troupe is larger and the play presented is more elaborate. President Rowe appointed the following committee to investigate the proposition and make further arrangements: C. A. Goodale, John Larson, Robert Mullenix, Dr. Garm Norbury, T. W. Beadle, Vorse Bassett, Frank Wanamaker, C. E. Williamson, Arthur Morgan and B. F. Shafer.

Two big crews went to the site of the Kiwanis cabin east of the city yesterday afternoon and worked on the building. Large forces will go to the work today and tomorrow and it is hoped to finish the cabin by Saturday night.

MATRIMONY

Caldwell—Harris.

William Caldwell of Havana and Miss Ruby Harris of this city were married at noon yesterday in Havana. The bride has been for the past year employed as a county operator in the local exchange of the Illinois Telephone Company. She is the daughter of Mrs. Mollie Harris of Waverly. She was attired for the ceremony in a gown of white Canton crepe. The groom is a resident of Havana and at one time was employed at the Illinois School for the Blind. Shortly after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell left for Decatur and will go from there to Iowa on their wedding trip. They will make their home in Havana.

Sixty-three years ago yesterday Abraham Lincoln delivered a campaign speech in Jacksonville at one of the intense presidential rallies of 1860. This fact was related by Mrs. Kate Wright, who resides with her daughter Mrs. Myrtle Tandy in the King apartments. Yesterday was Mrs. Wright's sixty-third wedding anniversary, and she remembers the occasion vividly.

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YOKOHAMA. (By the A. P.)—After consultation with the foreign office the municipal authorities have explained that it is not the legitimate holders of perpetual leases at which the council aimed in its recent resolution instructing the mayor to collect arrears in taxes. The authorities now aver that a number of foreigners, not holders of these leases, have been evading their taxes and also that some of the lease holders have evaded taxes which the leases do not exempt them from.

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It has been the rule to exempt consuls, but their number has been growing in recent years and the municipal officials have been complaining of the loss of taxes.

JAIL DELIVERY STIRS SOFIA. Sofia, Bulgaria.—By the A. P.—One of the most sensational jail deliveries in the history of Balkan politics came to light here in the announcement by the Director of Public Safety that two prisoners, taken during the seizure of all Stamboulsky henchmen had escaped.

Director Natcheff said two civilians went to the jail where Krum Popoff, former mayor of Sofia, and Stoyan Kalucheff, private secretary to the late Premier Stamboulsky, were prisoners. What appeared to be regular documents were shown and the pair were released, supposedly for examination.

All search has failed to locate either the escort or the former prisoners.

Mrs. Clifford Alves of 605 North Fayette street is expected home this evening after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Peters of Decatur.

SALE ON C. H. GIBBS
FARM NETTED \$5,000

Large Crowd Attended Big Sale in Lynville Vicinity Yesterday—Livestock and Grain Sold—Implement's Brought Good Prices.

The livestock and farm equipment belonging to the C. H. Gibbs estate was sold at a largely attended auction sale yesterday on the Gibbs farm near Lynville. The proceeds of the sale amounted to about \$5,000 and the sale drew a large crowd from many miles around. Lunch was served on the grounds by the Ladies' Aid of the Lynville Christian church and the sum of \$95 was realized from the sale of edibles. J. L. Henry was the auctioneer and Fred Schofield was clerk at the sale. Some articles sold and the prices said were as follows:

650 hales of timothy hay sold for 58c a bale or \$17 a ton. Corn standing in the field sold for 40c to 41c a bushel, to be weighed over scales at shucking time.

Alfalfa hay brought 93c a bale, or \$29.50 a ton.

165 head of hogs were sold in lots as follows: Shoats \$3.35 to \$6.40 a head; young hogs \$13.75 a head, fat hogs \$15.50 a head and sows \$14 to \$26.25 each.

Ten head of cattle brought \$40 to \$80 a head. Calves were sold for \$11.50 to \$20 a head.

Several head of horses were sold as follows: One team to Oliver Reid for \$202.50; one team to Chris Gibson for \$156; one team to Ol Coultas for \$145; one driving horse for \$100 to Oliver Reid; one aged mare to Wilbur Gibbs for \$41 and one mare to Cedric Elliott for \$70.

AGED WOMAN RECALLS
ADDRESS OF LINCOLN

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SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF
WILL OPEN MONDAY

Plan for Band at School This Year—Many Changes About Buildings—No Change in Personnel.

The School for the Deaf will open next Monday morning with a full corps of teachers. The teachers will report for duty at 8 o'clock and the school session will start off immediately.

Plans were made last school year for the establishment of a band at the school but the plans were abandoned for the time, but the organization of a band class for this term is now assured as the drums which are the first requisite in the teaching of band music to the deaf, have already been ordered and Fred Fancher has been secured as military and band director.

The returning students will see a wonderful difference in the appearance at the school on their return next week as extensive improvements have been carried on all during the vacation months. Among the house officers, however, there will be practically no change.

The teachers who will be on duty at the school the coming year are listed below:

T. V. Archer, Principal.
Emogene Allen.
Ruth Bailey.
Anna Berkeley.
Gladys Brunner.
Mrs. W. Cheek.
E. P. Cleary.
Mrs. Laura Crandall.
Nelle Cuddy.
Belinda Daniels, teacher of photography.
Amelia Demotte.
Amanda Davis.
Bertha Eitler.
Fred Fancher, military and band director.
Gertrude Goltra.
Belle Howard.
Hiram Huff, teacher of baking.
Anne Jackson, librarian.
Edith Jordan, art teacher.
Mrs. Helen Jordan.
Helen Kent, physical director for girls.
Adele Kepler.
Anna Kingsley.
Mrs. J. W. Larson, teacher of household arts.
Florence Loar.
Mrs. Malody, teacher of dress-making and sewing.
Della Orr.
Hettie Patterson.
G. H. Putnam.
Emma Rawlings.
Catherine Russel.
Margaret Russel.
Irene Sendberg, rhythm.
Fred Schoneman.
Emma Solberger, physical director for boys.
H. D. Snyder.
Merry Sullivan.
Ferd Smith.
Carolyn Taft.
Annie Tanner.
Mrs. William Suhay, teacher of millinery.
Ethel Van Zant.
Elizabeth Vincent.
Idella Walton.
Eva Williams.
Miss Catherine Wood.
Miss Frances Wood.
S. Robey Burns, assistant printer and coach.
W. S. Camp, printer and teacher of printing.
F. H. Cogswell, teacher in cabinet shop.
Mathew Minter, teacher of shoe-making.
J. W. McConnell, teacher of painting and superintendent of buildings.
Mrs. E. P. Cleary, substitute.

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ANOTHER GAS WELL
ON HARRIS FARM

Development Work by Messrs. Irwin and Pease Will Be Continued.

The Irwin and Pease well on the Harris farm northeast of the city has been sunk to a depth of 354 feet. Mr. Irwin said last night that the drill had gone thru two gas sands but that the exact volume of the well could not be determined until a gauge had been used.

He said that while it is not as large a well as the one located to the north of the Andrew Harris home, that it is nevertheless a mighty good "gasser." The showing made is of importance to Mr. Irwin and his associates because it indicates the trend of the gas area. The rig is already being moved to a location north of the Harris home and to the west of the big well.

It is the intention of Mr. Irwin and his associates as already indicated to put down a number of wells as there is no doubt in their minds that the field is a profitable one for development.

FUNERALS

Young.

Funeral services for Willard Young were held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Gilham Funeral home, in charge of Rev. G. W. Randle. Music was furnished by Mrs. G. W. Randle and Miss Catherine Randle, with Miss Louise Sheppard as accompanist. The deceased had long been a resident of the county and was highly respected. A large number of his friends attended the services.

The floral tokens were cared for by Mrs. Jack Phillips, Mrs. E. L. Kraft and Miss Maggie Thompson. The bearers were: Clarence Thompson, Jack Phillips, Ernest Serranos, Ray Young, George Smith and Dan Vertrees. Interment took place in Arcadia cemetery.

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WHITE HALL YOUNG
MAN ELECTROCUTED

Lewis R. Williams Met Instant Death When He Came Into Contact With Electric Current—Had Enrolled to Attend College This Fall.

White Hall, Sept. 6.—Electrocution resulted in the sudden death of Lewis R. Williams, an employee of the hog cholera serum plant, at 8 o'clock this morning. Williams scaled an electric pole to fix a plug, and the wet pole caused a contact, burning Williams about the arm and leg. He fell to the ground with a moan, and before help could be of any avail death ensued.

Williams was a prominent and promising young man. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams, and his age was about 19 years. He was a member of the White Hall track team that won state honors last season, participating in the national event in Chicago in May, with Ray Goode, William Smith and Donald Hansberger. Williams, however, did not get a place at Chicago because of hurting his leg at practice a few days before. He made a record of 11 feet 6 inches in the pole vault at Western Illinois meet at Winchester. Goode won first in javelin and fourth in hammer throw at Chicago, and Smith took second in hammer throw. Hansberger did not get in the money at Chicago, but won honors in shot put, hammer throw and running broad jump thru the season that culminated at Chicago.

The deceased graduated from the high school last spring, and has been employed at the serum plant during the summer. The plant is located on Gregory farm, about a mile and a half south of town. He and his colleagues had educational opportunities opened to them thru their track record. They had been extended every good wish by the home people on notable occasions that was sincere and abiding. Williams had arranged to attend Bradley Polytechnic Institute at Peoria with Ray Goode, but his death will cause Goode to go alone. Hansberger and Smith have another year in high school. All four were also star members of the basketball team.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral, but they will be held in the First Baptist church, he being a member of the men's class of that institution, and the funeral will doubtless prove to be one of the largest ever held here. The discourse will be delivered by Rev. L. E. Ellison. It will probably be held Sunday afternoon.

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Barr's Oyster

GREENE COUNTY HAS TEACHERS INSTITUTE

Is Now In Progress In White Hall—
Schools Will Open Monday.

White Hall, Sept. 6.—The annual institute of Greene county teachers is in session this week in the new high school building in White Hall with an enrollment that equals the highest of former years, there being 210 teachers in attendance. The opening session on Tuesday was held in the First Baptist church, being transferred to the new high school Wednesday morning. This is the first gathering held in the new structure, and the teachers are marveling at its utility and accommodations as representing one of the best high schools in the state, representing an outlay of \$125,000. Provision has been made for additions without detracting from the architecture. Arrangements for a public reception Thursday afternoon had to be called off because a couple of floors in the upper part not being ready for use, and this reception will be held one week later from 4 to 6 o'clock.

The institute is under the direction

of Rollins L. Scott, county superintendent of schools and the instructors are Prof. P. E. Belting of the University of Illinois, Prof. George D. Wham of the Southern Illinois Normal Prof. E. W. Calvins of the Illinois State Normal and Miss Mary Baker of White Hall. Eldon Geiger, of Decatur, is song leader. A dictionary contest on Tuesday resulted in a tie between Miss Nell Gihler of White Hall and Miss Zurilda Bushnell of Elred, each being awarded a dictionary.

Schools to Open Monday

The week is given up to the institute, and formal opening of the White Hall schools will take place next Monday with a full corps of teachers under D. B. Wells, superintendent. Final enrollment in the high school will take place next Saturday. There are already 170 in sight, and the total will go well over the 200 mark. The grade school will have the use of the entire building vacated by the high school and will be under the supervision of Miss Ruth Evans, principal. This will enable the frame structures about the grade school grounds to be disposed of, a public sale of which will be held next Saturday under the direction of the township school trustees.

A record in connection with the corps of teachers is noted in that 19 out of the 25 teachers were in school this summer for from six to twelve weeks. This is declared to be a new record for any local school, pointing to efficiency and interest in the forthcoming terms.

School circles were saddened Thursday morning the sudden death of Lewis R. Williams by electrocution. Williams was a graduate of the high school last spring and as a member of the star track team won distinction along with Ray Goode at the Chicago meet, being a pole vaulter and high jumper.

WILL PROVIDE KITS FOR SERVICE MEN

The local Red Cross chapter has been requested to provide kits containing Christmas gifts for 50 American soldiers in service in the Philippine Islands. The local secretary announced yesterday that an attempt would be made to interest the Boy Scouts and Campfire Girls in the movement and to fill the Jacksonville quota at an early moment. It is essential that the canvass be made immediately, since the kits must be in San Francisco by the 20th of September in order to reach the Philippines by December.

NEELYVILLE MAN FRACTURES LEG

Daniel Conway of Neelyville was brought to Passavant hospital Thursday afternoon suffering from a fractured leg, the result of a fall of 16 feet from a ladder on which he was painting a building, the breaking of a ladder-rung causing the fall.

The injured man was given first aid by Dr. Fountain of Chapin and was afterwards brought to Jacksonville where Dr. Carl E. Black attended the injury.

Mr. Conway was in the employ of C. F. Cordes, the merchant at Neelyville at the time of the accident.

Pesky Devils Quietus P. D. Q.

P. D. Q. Pesky Devils Quietus is the name of the new chemical that actually and the bug family. Bed Bugs, Roaches, Ants and Fleas, as P. D. Q. kills the live ones and their eggs and stops future generations. Not an insect powder but a chemical unlike anything you have ever used.

A 35 cent package makes one quart and each package contains a patent sprout, to get the Pesky Devils in the cracks and crevices.

Your druggist has it or he can get it for you. P. D. Q. can also be purchased in sealed bottles, double strength. Liquid form.

Long's Pharmacy
Armstrong's Drug Store

Ask Your Lumber [SHEETROCK] ROCK SHEET

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He's Just Like a Brother to Them!



"Teddy" is a big St. Bernard, the last dog in the world you'd expect to find "fathering" a lot of kittens. But during a recent cloudburst in Pittsburg the kittens and a mother cat belonging to Dr. J. F. Gensburg, who has a cat and dog hospital, were in danger and "Teddy" also belonging to the doctor, rescued the whole mess! Since then the mother cat and the kittens have complete confidence in the big dog. "Teddy" likes to pick the little bundles of fur up by the neck and carry them about.

INSTITUTE CLOSES AT WINCHESTER TODAY

Teachers Institute to Close Sessions
This Afternoon—Other News from
Scott County Town.

Winchester, Sept. 6.—The Scott county teachers institute will close Friday afternoon. The sessions have been quite largely attended throughout the week and interesting and helpful addresses have been given by the instructors. Dean Manchester gave a splendid address Thursday afternoon the theme of his talk being "The Engine that Has No Sand." A pleasing feature of the session was a vocal number given by S. G. Smith.

Fire at Woods Home

The fire department was called to the home of Dr. Woods about eight o'clock Wednesday morning, flames originating from an oil stove. Mrs. Mrs. Woods upon returning from an errand to the yard at her home found the kitchen in flames. The fire was extinguished quickly and not a great deal of damage resulted.

Two Social Events

W. N. Gish was given a very pleasant surprise Thursday evening by a number of his young married friends, the event being in honor of his birthday. They came to his home about six o'clock, bringing with them baskets of good things to eat. Several hours were spent playing cards and the evening was one all present thoroughly enjoyed.

Mrs. Harry Montgomery and Miss Lena Northcott entertained twelve young ladies at the home of Mrs. George Hogan Thursday afternoon in honor of Misses Jean Stewart and Bess Pieper. It had been intended to have a picnic but on account of the weather conditions it was changed to a porch party. The guests of honor are to leave soon to enter a nurses' training school. An excellent menu was served and a very pleasant social afternoon enjoyed.

News Notes

Rev. Father Gunn is holding a mission at St. Mark's Catholic church all this week. Rev. Father Bell of Morrisonville and Rev. Father Cuck of Carrollton attended the mission Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. H. D. Trickey and family returned Wednesday to their home in Logansport, Ind. after a four weeks vacation spent here with relatives and friends.

The home of Robert Mason is being improved by a coat of paint.

Mrs. Easter Ellis is ill at her home in the north east part of town.

Miss Elizabeth Rohrig has gone to enter the nurses' training school at St. Luke's hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Max Mills and two children drove from Marshalltown, Iowa, the first of the week to visit at the home of Mrs. Ray Taylor.

CHAPIN

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STATE TEACHERS READING CIRCLE

Activities Related —Is Entering
Upon Thirtieth Year Existence
—Books Being Read.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—(By the A. P.)—Entering upon its 30th year of activity, the Illinois State Teachers' Reading circle, which was founded in 1884 by E. A. Gantman, a former school superintendent of Decatur, who issued a publication tracing the development of the circle from the time the teachers of Illinois spent a year studying a book named "The Schoolmaster in Literature," till this year when six very substantial text books have been selected for reading circle use.

Names of these books, with which many of the Illinois 36,000 teachers will become thoroughly acquainted this school year, are as follows:

"Successful Teaching in the Rural Schools," Pitman.

"Standards of English," by Jinn J. Mahoney.

"Training for Effective Study," Thomas.

"Introduction to the Use of Standard Texts," Preedy.

"Literature of the World," Richardson and Owen.

Reiterating the announcement of the purpose of reading circles, the publication says: "Teaching is a work that requires constant advancement on the part of those who teach. The progress of the school is so rapid that teachers who do not themselves constantly increase their capacity for service very soon fall of any large usefulness."

Training Needed.

"Any training," the declaration of purpose continued, "not self possessed self-imposed is but a dull and lifeless substitute for the growth that comes through any ambition to be of more significant person and a worthy teacher. An active devotion to others through the enlargement of one's life is fundamental to any real teaching."

Year by year the Reading circle board offers its recommendations to Illinois teachers. The belief is always that the books have in it in them something that the teachers really want; and the hope always is that this fact will be recognized. The use of the books is increasing, and the board has offered confidence that those offered this year will serve well to teachers of the state and thru them the school.

Supervising the reading circles is left to the board of district managers of whom there are 12. State officers of the circle include Francis G. Blair, Springfield, president; May S. Hawkins, Mound City, secretary; Charles H. Watta, Urbana, treasurer and Walter F. Boyes, Galesburg, state manager.

BEGIN WORK ON MAUSOLEUM

Work of construction of the new mausoleum by the Valley Mausoleum company has begun in full away. It was announced yesterday that the financial end of the project had been met and that completion of the work was expected by the first of March. The work will continue thru the winter by means of a temporary building housing the masonry. The exterior of the building will be of white stone, while the interior will be lined with white marble.

The building will contain 480 crypts, all of which will become the property of local people.

Mrs. H. M. Andre and daughter Miss Eleanor, Mrs. G. B. Andre and Miss Harriet Andre motored to Springfield yesterday for a day's visit in that city.

Miss Alberta Robinson and Mrs. Helen Lloyd Babcock of Springfield were Wednesday day guests of Mrs. Edith Dunlap at her home on West College street.

Harold Easley of North Fayette street, left yesterday for a vacation trip in Los Angeles, Calif. He will remain in the sunny state for about a month.

NEW PROFESSORS AT ILLINOIS WESLEYAN

(By the Associated Press)

BLOOMINGTON, Ill.—Six new professors, who have won degrees as doctors of philosophy, have been added to the faculty of the Illinois Wesleyan university. President W. J. Davidson has announced. The fall term at Wesleyan opens September 17.

The new Ph D's are as follows: Dr. Ernest E. Lelsey, of the University of Illinois, ten years professor of English, to be head of the English department.

Dr. H. P. Pettie, of University of Illinois, eight years a professor, to be head of the mathematical department.

Dr. Frederick M. Thrasher, of University of Chicago, to be head professor of sociology and economics.

Miss Ruth H. Hayes, of University of Michigan, assistant professor of biology.

Ralph Emmerson Browns, Northwestern University department of education and religious education.

Reginald M. Chase, of University of Chicago, to be head of department of ancient languages.

To head the department of physical education and become head coach, President Davidson announced, C. E. Cartwright, of the University of Indiana, had been obtained. It was also announced that Dr. S. P. Williams, professor of philosophy, and Dr. Franklin S. Mortier, professor of chemistry, will continue as heads of their departments this year.

K. K. K. DONATES TO
NURSE BENEFIT FUND
Ottawa, Ill. — The Ku Klux Klan has tendered a draft of \$150 to be added to the Ottawa community nurse benefit fund. The draft was received here by Mrs. E. C. Kusmaul, president of the local Red Cross.

Ben Smith of Woodson was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

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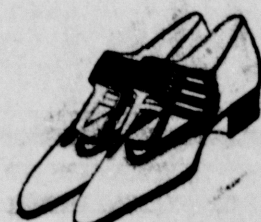
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1 54" F. O. Buffet..... \$30.00
1 G. O. Chiff..... \$12.50
1 Tuno Mahogany Dresser, reg. \$100..... \$45.00
1 Tuno Mahogany Chiff, reg. \$75.00..... \$25.00
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4 piece Brown Mahogany Bed Room Set, Dresser, Chiff, Bed, Dressing Table, reg. \$300., spec. \$125.00
1 8x10 Velvet Rug, reg. \$60.00, only..... \$25.00 (Can't Tell from New)
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Stoves-Special

1 6-hole range with warming oven, good as new; regular \$100.; only..... \$35.00
1 very fine gas range, reg. \$85.00, only..... \$20.00
1 Combination Round Oak Stove, coal, gas, regular \$225.00; can't tell from new, only..... \$65.00
1 Combination Regent coal and gas stove, regular \$175.00, only..... \$40.00
1 6-hole Range, warming oven and reservoir, regular \$115.00, Only..... \$50.00

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PLUMBING AND HEATING

BRIEFS

(By the Associated Press)
Petrograd, Sept. 6.—The Radum Institute reported today that the expedition it sent to Pergana has discovered what probably is the world's largest deposit of radium.

Narragansett Pier, R. I., Sept. 6.—The Imperial hotel here, was destroyed by fire early today, 40 guests escaping scantily clad. Loss, \$300,000.

Venice, Italy, Sept. 6.—Four airmen, including two officers, were killed today when two airplanes collided 2,000 feet in the air and fell in a lagoon.

Peoria, Sept. 6.—Highwaymen, who have been terrorizing mo-

torists the last three nights here, last night slugged Edward Backus, choked his wife into insensibility and escaped with \$75 and their car which they later abandoned here. This was the fourth similar hold up during the last three nights.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Appropriation of \$10,000,000 for federal work in enforcing prohibition next year, an increase of \$1,000,000 over last year has been requested of the budget bureau by Prohibition Commissioner Haines. An increase of \$500,000 additional for enforcing the narcotic drug laws also has been asked by Commissioner Haines. Both requests now being before the budget offices.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—A telegram from Senator Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota received today at state headquarters of the Farmer-Labor party, announced that he would

be in Decatur, on Sunday to address the state convention of the party. Arrangements are being made to have him speak in the Y. M. C. A. hall on Sunday afternoon. The convention will open Saturday.

San Francisco, Sept. 6.—The embassies and legations of various countries including the United States, England, France, Italy and China were destroyed in the Japanese disaster according to a message from the Japanese foreign office to Ambassador Hanihara which was relayed to U. Oyama, Japanese consul general here today.

New York, Sept. 6.—The theft of \$300,000 worth of raw silk from a Vestry street warehouse some time after Sept. 1, became known today. A hole was bored thru the wall of the warehouse from an adjacent building and operating thru this aperture, the robbers escaped with the loot on a truck.

Herrin, Ill., Sept. 6.—Four friends of Paul Frick, city editor of the Herrin Daily Journal who left Monday evening without announcing his destination have received letters from him and no fear is felt for his safety. He had two suit cases with him when he left.

White Hall, Ill., Sept. 6.—Climbing a pole to remedy a defect in the electric wires at the state hog cholera serum plant here today, Louis Williams, aged 19, was electrocuted when he grasped a live wire. He was hurled to the ground from the top of the pole.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 6.—With a contribution of \$50, Governor Len Small was the first today to send his donation to the Japanese relief fund being raised in this county. The governor's check was accompanied by a letter of sympathy for the stricken land. At a meeting of representative citizens here at noon Sangamon county voluntarily raised its quota from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

Minneapolis, Sept. 6.—Charles Riden, former U. S. district attorney at Cheyenne, Wyo., who disappeared last Saturday after attending the American Bar association convention and who had

been sought by police for five days, returned to his hotel in Minneapolis today and explained that he had been called away suddenly on a short business trip.

Fort Snelling, Minn., Sept. 6.—Lieutenants Kenneth Garrett and Victor Bertrand, U. S. army pilots, on a pathfinding expedition, hopped off from here today for Fargo, N. D.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 6.—By a vote of 58 to 11 the Alabama house today passed a bill which will allow Senator Oscar W. Underwood to select Alabama's delegates to the national Democratic convention.

Chicago, Sept. 6.—National Socialist Party headquarters here commencing on a report of last night that E. V. Debs and William Z. Foster had split, said that the statement was inaccurate because there had been no coalition between the two. The announcement stated that Mr. Debs had announced he was not in sympathy with the Trades Union Educational league plan of education which is credited to Foster although he is an advocate of education.

CENTRAL DIVISION RED CROSS QUOTA IS COMING ALONG

Nearly One Fourth of the Amount is Already Reported

(By the Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Reports to Central Division of the American Red Cross tonight showed \$170,422 of the Central Division's quota of \$500,000 for the relief of Japanese quake victims had been contributed the first day, Walter Davidson, manager of the division announced.

This amount is nearly one-fourth of the quota, included reports from all of the large cities of the ten states in the division. All promised to raise the full quota. The ten states of the central division are Montana, Wyoming, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois and Michigan.

In addition to the Red Cross activities in the central division Chicago today launched its campaign to obtain \$500,000 for stricken Japan. More than \$125,000 has already been pledged it was announced.

President O. E. Bradtute of the American Farm Bureau federation sent an appeal to farmers today to give liberally of farm food supplies to feed the destitute refugees. The farmers' gift of food it was announced will be turned over to local Red Cross chapters in their communities.

WALLPAPER MUSEUM RECENTLY OPENED

CASSEL, Germany. —(By the A. P.)—Wallpapers and wallcoverings of all nations and of all periods are shown in the new wallpaper museum recently opened here.

Each wallpaper of the period immediately following the Napoleonic era is of especial interest and attracts much attention. Terror made its way into the French wall decorations to an amazing degree. Paper of that period is more bizarre than many of the modern expressionists wall papers and shows amazing combinations of colors. There is an extensive display of American wallpaper from early colonial days down to the present, showing both the hand-made and machine made products.

Dr. W. H. Weirich who has been visiting the past month at resort points in Minnesota, returned to this city yesterday and will be followed in a few days by his family, who have also been spending some time in the north.

POLITICAL TYPHOON DEVELOPING FROM ACTION OF ITALY

(Continued from page 1)
Justice should decide the indemnity Greece must pay Italy. United States Senators Swanson and McKinley, former United States Senator Hitchcock, Newton D. Baker, the former secretary of war and two score other Americans squeezed into the crowded council chamber today and witnessed the proceedings of a meeting which lacked nothing as regarded dramatic incidents.

Gives Warning Again.
Lord Robert Cecil gave warning again that the competency of the league to intervene was, in Great Britain's view, certain, and he indicated "that something more will be done about it."

The clear voice of Paul Hymans, the Belgian leader, rang thru the chamber with the words that the issue involved was exceedingly grave for the future of the league. He was convinced that the covenant applied to the Greco-Italian dispute, and he added:

"The pact forms a precious guarantee for the lesser states, and application of its stipulations is essential to the maintenance of the new order of things in the world, in which all countries have placed supreme hope."

Hjalmar Branting, of Sweden, subscribed to the Belgian view. A clash occurred between Signor Salandra and M. Politis in the course of the debate. Salandra had related how Italy sacrificed 600,000 lives of her soldiers in the great war and emphasized that the question at issue involved Italian national dignity and prestige and declared that that was why Italy could not accept any difference between the league and the pact.

He then added that M. Hymans and M. Branting represented countries where happily assassination was not resorted to as a political means to an end. This brought M. Politis to his feet in a vigorous protest. He repudiated any accusation that Greece was guilty of such methods.

The council adjourned without fixing a time for the next meeting. The chairman, Viscount Ishii said:

"There remains the question of the competency of the council and the league. It is a judicial question and a grave one. I suggest that we go into that at a later session."

The resolution presented today will be forwarded to all the interested governments. It is reported that Constantine Skirmunt has telegraphed his home government recommending that Poland stand for application of the covenant to Italy.

The official attitude of France has not yet been disclosed.

ITALIANS OCCUPY SEVERAL ISLANDS

(By the Associated Press)
ROME, Sept. 6.—The occupation by Italy of Paxos and several "very small" islands near Corfu is announced. It is explained that the occupation is not a question of extending the Italian occupation but merely with the object of making these islands a part of the Corfu defensive system.

The occupation of Paxos and Antipaxos by the Italians was reported on September 1, soon after the occupation of Corfu. It would therefore appear that the Italians have seized further territory to complete the ring about Corfu.

ADVERTISED FOR BIDS FOR CONCRETE BRIDGE

Springfield, Ill. — The state highway division has advertised for bids for construction of a reinforced concrete bridge in Anchor township, McLean county and another in Green Garden township, Will county.

Announcement!

We have been receiving shipments of suits for men and young men during the past two weeks and are now prepared to show you a good assortment. These are tailored of the newest patterns and range in price from

See Our East Window **\$25 to \$40**

T. M. Tomlinson

HARD COAL MINERS AND OPERATORS ARE GETTING TOGETHER

(Continued from page 1)
crosses identical to those agreed upon for maintenance men who are being kept at work during the suspension of mining. It was further agreed, this statement continued, that the anthracite conciliation board should make a study of wage rates and recommend adjustments to the next joint conference between the union leaders and the operators' committee.

There was likewise an understanding upon how collective bargaining methods would be applied to mining operators.

"The operators authorized me to say for them that they are in accord with the four points as thus interpreted and are prepared to accept them," Governor Pinchot continued. "In authorizing this statement the operators desire to have it understood that they do so on condition that the terms as to the open and closed shop laid down in the Roosevelt award shall run with any new contract to be based on the four points."

The miners authorize me to say that they are in accord with and prepared to accept certain of the four points as interpreted above, but that they are not yet prepared to give up their demand for the check-off, or for an additional increase of pay to day men and in excess of ten per cent.

In authorizing me to express their acceptance of the provision respecting collective bargaining as interpreted above, the miners desire to have it understood that they do so on the condition that the words "such as opening a new seam of coal" shall not be construed as excluding pillar work.

At my suggestion the miners will take further time to consider this matter and both sides will return for further conference at 3 P. M. tomorrow."

STORY OF TULSA IS TOLD IN TESTIMONY GIVEN OUT THURSDAY

(Continued from Page One)
The woman who was lashed testified:
"They took the quilt away from around me and I just had on my night gown and they began whipping me and I began screaming and they put their hands over my mouth and I fell unconscious."
"I didn't know any more until I was back in the car and when I came to I was all wet with blood and some one had hold of my pulse and someone asked if my heart was beating."
Counselor Blake's accusation against the Ku Klux Klan brought the first official admission that the military investigation at Tulsa was being directed against the secret organization. Heretofore Governor Walton and his advisers have refrained from naming the Klan in connection with mob floggings.

Liquid Veneer SALE

Special Sale on Liquid Veneer This Week

Cut this AD out and bring it to our store not later than Saturday, September 8th, and get a 30 cent bottle of Liquid Veneer for 19c.

Or with this AD you can get a 60c bottle for 37c. Be sure and cut out this AD and save 11c on a 30c bottle and 23c on a 60c bottle.

TRADE AT OUR STORE FOR CASH AND MAKE YOUR \$\$\$\$ HAVE MORE CENTS.

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One of the Many Early Fall Styles

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Ladies Arch Support Oxfords for real comfort, \$5.50—\$6.00

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Men who go "window shopping" for their new Fall Hat invariably drop in here when they have made the rounds and are ready to buy. The low price marks on our stunning styles leave no doubt in the mind of the thinking man. Go "window shopping" today and see for yourself.



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Sweet and Sound Sleep for All Babies when dusted with Puretest Zinc Stearate "It Is Soothing"



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What more could be said during these times, than

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Doing business without looking ahead is like driving a car on a dark night without your head lamp—you cannot see what you are coming to until you hit it, or it hits you—then, it's too late. Put on your head lamps and look ahead.

Every man and woman who owns a car wants to be out on holidays.

Have your car "tuned up" and inspected by an expert before you start.

Avoid those needless, embarrassing breakdowns while away from home.

We do all this needful work at most reasonable prices. Drive in.

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Work—Road Service.



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Shoes which fit snugly over the instep and around the heel give supreme comfort to the tread, always look and wear well.

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DADDY—We kids want a quart of Ice Cream for dinner. Go to Proffit's Drug Store, 218 So. Main St. and buy your—

Razor Blades, Cigars, Combs and Brushes, Pocket Books, or anything else and he will give it to you free if you buy \$1.00 worth or more.

MOTHER—You go tomorrow and buy—

Anything you want from Proffit's Drug Store. It will be new and the price is always right, and he will give you a quart of Ice Cream, too. You know, mother, Mr. Proffit knows it is good for us; that is why he is giving 500 gallons free.

PARENTS—Take good advice.

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Midget monkeys and towering, opening spectacle of the Sells-Floto richly robed elephants; the stir of circus, "A night in Persia," which marching hosts of men and beasts will be seen in Jacksonville March 17 and the swelling chorus of a thousand voices; wee clown doggies and her of racing herds of pachyderms file upon file of stately horses; tribal groups from the deserts and lavishly spangled figures there that the circus gowned American beauties surely the retains its hold upon our hearts.

An Unapproachable Jewelry Service

Jewelry has many values—its use—its intrinsic value—its quality and its beauty. To render a satisfactory jewelry service, your jeweler must be a judge of them all. He must be dependable, reliable and deserving. Must maintain an assortment to meet every demand. That is what you will always find here.

The trading reliability of this store has become so firmly established in the minds of its many customers that the name "Price's" gives added value to a birthday, wedding, graduation, friendship or home need or gift. You will find it always a pleasant place to trade with service that is unapproachable.

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Social Events

Entertained at Dinner

for Newlyweds
Mrs. Charles Devlin entertained at a six o'clock dinner at her home on East College street, last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Devlin who were recently married.

Other guests at the affair were Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Devlin and son, Miss Pamela Tribble, Misses Rose and Clara Devlin, John Devlin and Miss Madeline Pollman of Palmyra, Mo.

House Party

Came to Close

A delightful house party came to a termination last evening when Miss Beata Armstrong concluded a two day entertainment for six girl friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Armstrong of West College avenue. During the course of the party many games were played by the girls and various refreshments were served by the hostess. The two day house party was the outgrowth of a postponed lawn party at the Armstrong home.

The guests at the affair were Misses Rhoda Olds, Frances Sullivan, Elizabeth James, Margaret Henry and Dorothy Bernice Graham.

Family Reunion Held

at Nichols Park.

A reunion of the descendants of Karl Gottlieb J. Nech was held at Nichols Park recently with

nearly fifty members of the families present. On account of the unsettled weather a number were unable to attend from a distance. At noon a bountiful dinner was served, followed by a social time and a number of the young people enjoyed the playground, swimming pool and boating.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Victor Jokisch, of Beardstown; Secretary, F. C. Nickel, Concord; Corresponding Sec'y., Gail Nickel, Concord. Among those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carls, and son, Clifford, Miss Margaret Rhineburger, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Jokisch and daughter Virginia, Mrs. Charles Jones and daughter Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jokisch, daughter Emma and son Carl, all of Bluffs Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jokisch and sons Orville and Clarence, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brockhouse and daughters Emilie and Eileen, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jokisch and son Ralph, Miss Sara Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hackman, all of Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nickel and family of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hackman and Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Burius and family of Arenzville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Armstrong accompanied by their guest, Miss Louise Armstrong of Chicago, spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lohman in Ashland.

Frank German has returned to his home in Chicago after a brief visit with his father in this city. Mr. German is in the employ of Hart-Schaffner and Marx.

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FRANKLIN NEWS NOTES

C. W. B. M. Entertained

The C. W. B. M. of the Franklin Christian church held their September meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Andrew Roach north of town. The meeting was in charge of Miss Anna Bateman and the members responded to roll call with "The Name of a Missionary I Have Heard."

The devotions were read by Mrs. Jesse Lash after which two leaflets were read, one by Mrs. A. F. Ruble on Prayer in the Life of the Society, and another on Prayer in Life and Work of the Church. Hidden Answers were in charge of Miss Anna Bateman.

After the program a pleasant social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served by the hostess.

W. F. M. S. Elects Officers
The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church of Franklin met at the home of Mrs. M. B. Keplinger Wednesday afternoon. The meeting opened with a song after which the devotions were led by Mrs. H. A. Sherman. Sixteen members responded to roll call. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. M. B. Keplinger.
Vice president—Mrs. Joseph A. Williamson.
Treasurer—Mrs. Alice Mansfield.

Recording secretary—Mrs. Newton E. Woods.
Corresponding secretary—Mrs. James E. Sinclair.

Superintendent of Mite Boxes—Mrs. M. L. Anderson.
Superintendent of Standard Bearers—Mrs. M. B. Keplinger.

Superintendent of King's Herald—Mrs. H. A. Sherman.
Superintendent of Little Light Bearers—Miss Annie Ranson.

Mrs. J. E. Miles was the program leader and the following program was rendered:

Vocal duet—Mrs. J. E. Miles and Mrs. H. A. Sherman.
Leaflet, "A Kindergarten in God's Out Doors"—Mrs. W. M. Keplinger.

Leaflet, "She Careth"—Mrs. J. E. Miles.
Vocal solo—Mrs. W. E. Douglass.

Mystery box—Mrs. Anna Ranson.
The meeting closed with a song and an enjoyable social hour was then spent and refreshments served by the hostess.

Home Makers Meet.
The Homemakers Circle of Franklin met with Mrs. Martin VanWinkle and daughter, Miss Maude, on Tuesday afternoon.

After a brief business session the members responded to roll call with "What to Put in the School Lunch."

Two very interesting and in-

structive papers were read, one by Mrs. William Rees on Famous American Colleges and Universities and another on Cooperation Between the Parent and Teacher, by Mrs. M. D. Henderson. Selections on the Victrola were enjoyed and a pleasant hour spent after which the hostesses served refreshments. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Charles Gibson on September 18th.

ROCKFORD KLAN PREPARE FOR PAGEANT
(By the Associated Press)
ROCKFORD, Ill., Sept. 6.—At midnight tonight representatives of the Ku Klux Klan started decorating a route thru Rockford streets which leads to the scene of a klankraft pageant scheduled for Rockford tomorrow and Saturday.

Preparations have been made for 50,000 visitors, it was announced. Eligible non-members will be admitted to the pageant which will include a naturalization ceremony. Seats for 25,000 persons have been provided in a driving park at the outskirts of town.

A replica of Stone Mountain has been erected before which the ceremonies will be held. A tented city to house visitors has been erected and messengers are on the ground. Klan officials announced that klansmen from six mid-western states will be present. Several hundred klansmen had arrived tonight. Masked guards have kept curious persons from the driving park for a week while the sands and various stage settings have been built. It was announced that all persons entering the park will be searched for weapons, liquor and cameras.

So far there has been no hint of disorder although the city is aroused over the great gathering of klansmen.

Imperial Wizard H. W. Evans, will speak both days of the pageant.

ON WAY TO SEE MOTHER WHEN MURDERED
(By the Associated Press)
MOBERLY, Mo., Sept. 6.—John Streiff, whose body was found near Arenzville, Ill., on his way to Moberly at the time he was supposedly murdered to be at the bedside of his mother, who was critically ill. The mother has partially recovered but is not aware of the death of her son.

The elder Streiff has been searching for his son for several months.

Streiff was driving a roadster which has not been located. He also wore several valuable diamonds.

ROB MESSENGER OF THEATER RECEIPTS
Peoria, Ill., Sept. 6.—Oscar Snyder, messenger for the Columbia Theater, was held up and robbed of \$100 shortly before midnight by two masked bandits who stepped from an alley while he was on the way to the police station with the theater's receipts.

CARRIES RICE TO JAPANESE SUFFERERS
San Francisco, Sept. 6.—The Pacific Mail Line President Taft departed from here today with a shipment of 300 tons of rice for the Japanese disaster victims, the first relief ship to clear from San Francisco.

THE TEARS OF SOCRATES
It is said that Socrates, one of the greatest teachers of all time, wept but once.

At the age of 80 he took up the study of music. Finding that he was too old to grasp it, he wept—not for himself, but because so many of the youth of Athens were passing through the only stage where they could learn music properly and were not being taught.

School Days Are Here
Improve the Years When YOUR Children Can Learn Music Early.

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Olander seems to be resigned to his fate. He ate tonight only the continued request of Warden Hollowell's wife. He lacks the air of haughty arrogance that previous hangers have had.

Tonight Olander asked permission from Warden Hollowell to be allowed to walk the corridor alone after the other prisoners had gone to bed. He was granted this and spent the early part of the night pacing back and forth along the cells.

"I am not blaming anybody," he said tonight, "but I do not think I got quite the right deal. Anyway, I am at peace with God and man."

Immediately after the body has been pronounced dead in the morning it will be sent to Ottumwa, Iowa, for burial, where funeral services will be conducted.

WAGE ADJUSTMENTS WILL BE INCREASES
(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Wage adjustments for those employees of the United States Steel corporation whose working day

Five Armed Men

recently drove up to a lonely farm house, locked the farm wife and her daughter in a closet, wounded two farm hands who tried to interfere and speeded away in a high-powered car with over \$2,000 in cash and other valuables.

If this \$2,000 had been in a bank instead of "hidden" in the house, the owner would still have it today. Play safe with your money. If you haven't a bank account now, open one in this strong bank today.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. WELTY AT HOPESTON SATURDAY
Funeral services for Mrs. Wilbur C. Welty, whose death occurred at Hopeston Wednesday night, will be held at the family home in that city Saturday. She was formerly Miss Nell Kitter of Jacksonville and has a large number of relatives and friends residing here.

BRING YOUR BOOKS IN NOW—TODAY

We won't have the time Monday to look over your old books you wish to sell. We will be open tonight. LANE'S BOOK STORE

WET WEATHER AFFECTS CREOSOTE BLOCK PAVING
The wet weather of the past few weeks has had a bad effect on the creosote block pavements in this city and a number of them have buckled up and will have to undergo extensive repairs. Among the pavements which are affected are those on West Morgan, Court and Mauvalsterre streets. Perry J. White, superintendent of streets, stated yesterday that the repair work will be started at once and that a surface of asphalt will be applied wherever the creosote blocks have raised. This is not the first time that the creosote block pavements here have caused similar trouble, and the same is true of this class of pavement in St. Louis and Decatur and a number of other cities.

4 Specials For This Week

Candy

—Delicious chocolates with assorted rich creamy centers in peppermint, maple, sour orange, lemon, strawberry, vanilla flavors, also rich caramels and nut-nougat. All heavily coated with a dark, sweet chocolate.

Per pound, 39c

Egg Preserver

A quart of this liquid when diluted with eleven quarts of water will keep 12 dozen eggs for as long as a year. Very easily prepared and is a sure remedy for high priced eggs. Special, per quart29c

Alarm Clocks

—A one-day, reliable, nickel plated clock, made by Waterbury clock Co. Height is 5 1/4 inches, with 3 3/4 inch plain dial. Has a bell that is sure to awaken you, ringing steadily for forty seconds. We have one dozen, at, each...\$1.19

Vacuum Bottles

One pint capacity, black enameled body, and aluminum shoulder and cup, with removable filler and screw off top. Top will serve as a drinking cup. We have twenty at the remarkable price of...96c

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CLOVERLEAF BUYS TWO TENNESSEE COMPANIES

Insurance Firms Operating in Southern State are Purchased by Local Company—Cloverleaf Premium Income in Territory to be Increased \$109,000 Annually.

The Cloverleaf Life & Casualty Company yesterday closed a deal for the consolidating with their own business, two companies operating in the state of Tennessee.

The business of the American Life & Accident Insurance Company, with home offices at Jackson, Tennessee, has been purchased outright by the Cloverleaf. The Public Life & Accident Company with home office at Nashville, Tennessee, has also been secured by purchase, the Cloverleaf assuming all outstanding business and accepting all assets and property of the company.

By these two consolidations the Tennessee business of the Cloverleaf Life & Casualty Company has been increased by an annual premium income of about \$109,000.

The present business of the Cloverleaf is under management of H. E. Lyons with headquarters at Nashville, Tennessee. The branch offices of the company are located in the following cities: Chattanooga, Columbia, Johnson City, Knoxville, Lenoir City, Lebanon, Memphis, Shelbyville and Kingsport, Tennessee. The business of the two companies taken over at this time will be added to the business already controlled by Manager Lyons.

The business of the companies taken over consists of industrial health and accident insurance. The American Life & Accident Insurance Company has an established agency force in Nashville and also a large volume of business in Memphis and Jackson. The contract taken over by this company has been approved by the Insurance Commissioner of Tennessee, and directors and stockholders of the Co. R. R. Fletcher, president of Bank of Commerce of Tennessee at Jackson, is the retired president of the American Life & Accident Insurance Company.

W. S. Guest is the retiring president of the Public Life & Insurance Company and R. S. Anderson was the secretary of this company.

MANY ENTRIES MADE BY ONE PERSON

One can readily grasp how the Morgan County Fair had so many exhibits in the domestic art departments this year, when the facts are known as to the great number of exhibits made by single persons. Mrs. George Carder of Ashland made as many as 48 separate premium checks for prizes winning exhibits at the fair, from the association offices yesterday, and when it is taken into consideration that each check represents a premium, it can easily be seen the great number of displays she must have had. Mrs. Dale Seymour of Franklin also will receive a great many checks and runs a close second to Mrs. Carder. The latter won 45 separate premiums, the drafts for which will be mailed today. J. W. Arnold of Arnold, received nearly \$300 in premium money in payment for his prize winning stock at the fair.

Every premium is paid on a separate check and the exact department and entry number attached to keep the records exactly correct. The premiums vary from 50 cents as third money in the Domestic Art department to \$25, the blue ribbon prize in the livestock department.

WOMAN UNDER ARREST FOR CHILD ABANDONMENT

Mrs. Ellen Milton, who is charged with child abandonment, is now a prisoner at the county jail. She was arrested in Springfield yesterday and was brought to the city by Deputy Sheriff Henry Strawn. James Whitehead, with whom the woman was said to have disappeared, is still being searched for by the authorities, and when apprehended must answer to the charge of horse theft at Lewiston. The search for the two has continued for several days past and it was not until Thursday that the authorities learned that the two were in Springfield. However, Whitehead had made his get-away before the officers reached the capital city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Annie Reich to Charles M. Meyer, pt. lots 40, 41 and 42, old Plat Jacksonville, \$1.
Elizabeth Hart to trustees First M. E. church Waverly, lots 23 and 24 Batty Bros. & Boynton's addition to Waverly \$1,355.20.
James M. Wilday et al. to C. S. Beagle, pt northeast quarter 28-16-13, \$1.
Christina McCullough to Alfred Floberg pt lot 2, block 37, City addition, \$1, quit claim deed.
Levi O. Berryman to George B. Haynes, north half, east half northeast quarter etc., 34-14-9, \$300.00.
Thos. A. Curry to Thomas S. Scott et al. pt lots 56 and 57 old plat Jacksonville, \$1.

SUSTAINS BROKEN ARM WHILE CRANKING CAR
Joseph Crowe, who is a linotype operator at the Journal office, suffered a bad fracture of his right arm early Thursday morning while attempting to crank an automobile. The injury is a severe and painful one.

WANTED
Concord grapes and Damson Plums.
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PREMIUM CHECKS WON AT FAIR NOW READY

Will Be Mailed Today from Chamber of Commerce—Association Pays Nearly \$4,000 in Awards—Exhibits this Year Were of High Quality

The Morgan County Fair association will today begin the task of mailing from its headquarters the checks for the numerous premiums awarded to exhibitors at the fair last week. The work of arranging the names of the winners and compiling the lists has been completed, and the checks are all written. The premium awards this year amounted to \$3,773.25. A portion of this amount will be paid by the state agricultural department, in accordance with the provisions of the law which allow state money for premiums at county fairs that meet the requirements of the board of agriculture.

Ten thousand dollars in premiums was offered by the fair association thru its catalogue this year. Of course many of the classes were not filled, and in other lack of competition reduced the amounts awarded to exhibitors. The exhibits this year were of unusually high quality, especially in the culinary department. The people of the county are gradually being educated to the exhibition of high class products in all lines. The quality of exhibits is increasing from year to year, and is attracting notice of department heads and judges.

ODD FELLOWS HELD ANNUAL CONVENTION

Session Was Held at Mercedosia—Officers Elected and Lynnvillians Chosen for Next Meeting Place—Rebekahs Also Held Their Meeting

At the annual convention and picnic of Morgan county lodges of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs, held at Mercedosia Wednesday afternoon 12 lodges were represented. The feast consisted of burgoo soup, fried fish, coffee and pie and was served in a park under a tent, the outdoor program being called off on account of rain.

After dinner the delegates and guests met in the Mercedosia hall where a business session presided over by the president, J. L. Wilday was held. Addresses were also delivered by J. Marshall Miller of Jacksonville and Deputy Grand Master George Turner of Streator.

During the business meeting officers were elected for the ensuing year the following being the choices of the delegates.

President—Wesley Coumbes, Lynnvillians.
Vice president—E. A. Ranson, Lynnvillians.

Secretary-treasurer—E. D. Hembrough, Lynnvillians.
It was also decided that the incoming noble grand of the various lodges should constitute the executive committee, and Lynnvillians was chosen for the location of the next meeting.

After adjournment of the Odd Fellows at 4 o'clock, the hall was occupied by the Rebekahs for a business session, who decided at their meeting to join with the Odd Fellows in next year's meeting.

About 15 residents of Jacksonville attended the session in autos driven by W. E. Thomson, Charles Boston, James Rice and Edward Johnson.

LAST MEETING OF CONFERENCE YEAR

The last monthly meeting of the conference year was held Wednesday afternoon by the Brooklyn church Woman's Foreign Missionary society at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Randle. The principal business of the afternoon was the election of a delegate to the fall district meeting which will be held at the Ashland Methodist Episcopal church, Sept. 25th and 26th. Mrs. John Kastrup was elected delegate and Mrs. Joseph W. Moon, alternate. Mrs. Randle will also represent the organization as the district secretary. The meeting is scheduled earlier than usual because of the opportunity of securing the presence of a returned missionary.

COUNTY OFFICERS TO MEET IN CONVENTION

The annual meeting of the Association of Supervisors, County and Probate Clerks, County Auditors and Commissioners, will be held in Decatur Oct. 9 to 11. Morgan county will be represented by a number of officers. Announcement of the convention recently sent out indicate that instead of formal addresses that there will be discussion of matters that are directly related to the business of the average county.

Among the subjects suggested are the methods of disposing of pauper claims, the management of state aid roads, co-operation of county boards and townships in building of permanent roadways.

G. B. HAYNES BUYS L. O. BERRYMAN FARM

Thru a deal which was completed yesterday George B. Haynes has become the owner of the L. O. Berryman farm of 120 acres located several miles west of Franklin. The consideration was \$250 per acre. Mr. Haynes has occupied the farm for several years as tenant. The deal was made by Roberts & Austin, real estate dealers of Franklin.

APPEAL MADE FOR STRICKEN JAPAN

Morgan County Asked to Give \$1,700 as Share of Red Cross Relief Fund

H. J. Rodgers, chairman and H. M. Capps, vice chairman, of the Morgan county chapter of the Red Cross, received a communication yesterday fixing the quota of Morgan county for stricken Japan as \$1,700. The officers of the chapter immediately accepted the quota and volunteer subscriptions are now sought.

A total of \$5,000,000 is to be raised thruout the country and President Coolidge has designated the Red Cross as the official agency thru which the United States shall give substantial aid.

The central division of the Red Cross of which Illinois is a part, is expected to raise \$800,000 of the \$5,000,000 total. Subscriptions are sought from the public and may be left at the office of the Red Cross, the public library, any Morgan county bank, or the Journal or Courier offices in this city. Checks should be made payable to the Red Cross society.

In addition to liberality this is a time for speed as the subscriptions will be of more value if quickly given. Among volunteer subscriptions made yesterday were the following:

M. F. Dunlap, \$50.
J. Capps & Sons, \$50.
H. J. Rodgers, \$25.
Farrell State bank, \$25

The officers of the Red Cross believe that the response to this appeal will be made promptly from all parts of the county, as there is a general understanding of the tragic results of the earthquake which has devastated Japan, resulting in the loss of several hundred thousand lives and in the destruction of millions and millions of dollars' worth of property.

Letter of Appeal
The letter received by Red Cross officers from headquarters explaining the need and the quota is printed herewith:

Your quota for Japanese Relief Fund is \$1,700.

The American Red Cross, as the humanitarian arm of the American people, is raising a fund of at least \$5,000,000 for the relief of the survivors of the earthquake and fire at Tokyo, Yokohama and surrounding territory.

The following quotas have been assigned the states in this division:

Illinois	\$280,000
Iowa	80,000
Wisconsin	75,000
Michigan	125,000
Minnesota	100,000
North Dakota	20,000
South Dakota	15,000
Montana	25,000
Wyoming	15,000
Nebraska	65,000

We are assigning your chapter a quota as above, and sincerely trust that you are willing to accept it. Please make a direct appeal to the people of your town and county, organizing to secure contributions. We suggest that you should not overlook the branches in this campaign for funds.

In the face of such an awful catastrophe, the generosity of the American people is assured and our organization is recognized as the chief general channel of beneficence on behalf of the sufferers.

Is not this the opportunity to relieve something of the war time energy and enthusiasm in the raising of money to meet this need?

Chapter may make contributions on hand, unless by so doing the service of the chapter would be jeopardized. We are advised that cash only is needed.

Please report to me on the acceptability of this quota, and the steps that have been taken to raise the fund. All receipts should be transmitted to this office, marked "Japanese Relief Fund."

Sincerely yours,
Walter Davidson,
Manager, Central Division.

COMING TO THE GRAND MONDAY

The many friends and admirers of W. B. Patton will be interested to learn that the peculiar comedian will visit the Grand next Monday in his best success, "The Slow Poke" which is conceded by those who have seen it, as being quite the smartest production he has ever appeared in. It is a comedy of joyous excitement and bristles thruout with strange situations and exceedingly funny lines.

As is the case with most artists, Mr. Patton started at the bottom rung and has played a wide range of part. He is gifted with a personality that few comedians possess and his delightful portrayal of Barry Ware (The Slow Poke) is the crowning event of his career. To his charm of person and quaintness of manner and a voice which once heard could not be forgotten it is impossible to fittingly describe the effect that lies in his acting. There is a magnetism about him refreshing in its cleanliness and simplicity.

The character of "The Slow Poke" is a quaint type which becomes alive with wit and humor and produces a world of satisfying fun which will appeal to all classes of theater goers. Great care has been taken in selecting the cast, many old members who have been with Mr. Patton for several seasons, will be retained and seen to advantage in this unusual comedy. The production of "The Slow Poke" will bear the stamp of excellence that has given W. B. Patton an enviable reputation and created for him a large following over the territory he has played annually for the past 10 years.



School Opens Monday, Sept. 10th

Come to the Boy's Store for his School Clothes. Featuring rain or shine

Boy's Suits and Overcoats

Treated with the famous Cravenette Rainproof process

Boys Two Pant Suits, \$7.50 to \$25.00

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RIDGELY ENCAMPMENT PLANS HOMECOMING

Members will start Plans at the Regular Meeting this Evening—Refreshments Will Follow Meeting

Members of Ridgely Encampment No. 9 will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in regular semi-monthly session at their hall on West State street at which time plans will be discussed for the Homecoming which will probably be held some time in the latter part of October and a committee of arrangements for the event will be selected during the evening. Further plans in the campaign for additional members will also come up for discussion.

It is expected that Carl Weber Grand Senior Warden will be present at the meeting and will probably deliver an address. After the business session the members will enjoy refreshments arranged by committee in charge which is composed of C. H. Goody, A. B. Conlee, and E. J. Rawlings.

CHICAGO RESIDENTS ARE VISITING HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Hamel of Chicago have arrived for a week's visit at the home of Mr. Hamel's sister, Mrs. Henry Reese of the Asbury neighborhood. Mr. Hamel holds the position of secretary to the commissioner of gas and electricity of the city of Chicago. He states that the city of Chicago now has a municipal lighting plant which is one of the largest in the country, the power being generated at Lockport and carried to the city a distance of 40 miles on lines carrying a voltage of 40,000 each to the transformer station, sufficient power being carried to light 60,000 street lights.

PRAYER SERVICE

A Prayer Meeting service will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry 344 Sharp street this afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Bennett who has been conducting meetings on East Morgan street will conduct the services and Rev. A. P. Howells of the First Baptist church is expected to be present. Mrs. Henry has been a member of the Baptist church since childhood and has many friends in the city whom she wishes to be present at the meeting.

LEAVE FOR WEST.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Seymour of Franklin left last night for California, where they will make a visit of several weeks.

Otis Mason and Clarence Moss were listed among the visitors in the city from Joy Prairie. Miss Lucille Ruyle of the Chamber of Commerce office staff plans to spend the week end with her parents in Roodhouse.

MANCHESTER WOMEN IN CLUB MEETING

Manchester, Sept. 6.—The regular meeting of the Manchester Woman's club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Ruble. Twenty members and three guests of the club were present. A program of music and readings was given, which was followed by a social hour. The hostess served ice cream and wafers for refreshments. The guests present were Mrs. S. T. Sikes and Mrs. McClaren of White Hall and Mrs. John Horton of Nokomis.

The next meeting of the club will be held on September 18th at the home of Mrs. Robert Van Tuyl.

Miss Leland Wright of this place is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Byron Sheppard near Lowder.

Mrs. F. C. Lakin and Mrs. N. J. Rochester went to Roodhouse today to visit their new granddaughter, who arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rochester at that place Wednesday.

Mrs. Clarence Smith left on Monday for New York City for an extended visit with relatives. Mrs. John Horton has returned

to her home at Nokomis, after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Blovin, in this village.

Miss Carrie Stewart has returned to Jacksonville after a visit with relatives here.

Shoppers in Jacksonville from Manchester today included Mrs. J. C. Akers and son, Edward, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Andras and daughter, Miss Clara Strang, Mrs. William Clark, J. C. Funk and W. L. Robinson.

Mrs. Ethel Rousey and daughter, Ruth, are visiting relatives in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caldwell have returned to their home in this city after a three months' visit in New York.

WE HAVE LIST OF BOOKS YOU NEED

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Recollections of a Trip Through Stricken Japan

By S. W. Nichols

The unspeakable calamity which has befallen Japan vividly brings to my mind my visit to that land ten years ago. On that journey we started west from the Wabash station and kept on westward till arriving home we were still going west.

My first sight of land was the summit of the grand snow covered mountain, Fujiama, in the vicinity of Yokohama. It is an eminence sacred to the minds of the Japanese and it is indeed Lordly in its appearance generally.

They have women's rights in Japan. The first sight that greeted us was a number of women on the

dock pumping air down to a diver who was working under water doing some repairing to the docks. On the streets and in the fields women work as well as men but they don't seem to be so degraded as in China or even in some other lands visited especially Mohamedan, where woman goes to the lowest depth.

One thing we saw in Japan more than in any other land visited on that trip around the world and that was the happiness of childhood. The Japanese make a specialty of kindness to children and befriends of them may be seen on the streets merrily at play. Often a little girl will have her stoical baby brother or sister fastened to her back while she plays hop, scotch or other games and I never yet heard a baby cry. They seem to the kin the situation with becoming meekness and as a matter of course.

How different from cities in China. There the girls are kept in while hordes of absolutely naked boys from four to thirteen years old will run after a carriage howling for money but never seeming to play heartily or have a good time.

A veteran missionary in Turkey remarked to a new recruit, "You have come to a land where the birds don't sing and the children don't play." In all the many Mohammedan lands I visited I never saw a group of children having a good time. The nearest was when we were journeying on horseback through Palestine we encountered a group of boys and one of them had such a sling as David probably used when he slew the Philistine giant. I bought it of him giving him his price but afterward he cried to have it and I gave it back to him.

As we landed swarms of jinrickisha men hovered about for a job. The jinrickisha is a vehicle used by the thousand in Japan and China and is a wonderful convenience tho it is an invention of a missionary. His wife was in poor health and as no such thing as a buggy or any kind of an animal propelled vehicle was available he devised a rig that answered a fine purpose.

Probably elderly readers of The Journal have seen the old fashioned, two wheeled baby buggy with top capable of being elevated or lowered. The good man secured two wheels about the size of the fore wheels of a buggy and used shafts instead of a single tongue, placed his wife in it and himself between the shafts and son had her enjoying the open air in good shape.

The coolies who had been accustomed laboriously to carry people in chairs on their backs soon saw the value of the white man's invention and now they are used in vast quantities in China and Japan. A coolie will travel on a journey forty to fifty miles a day with ease. There are yet many places where the chair is used; sometimes in cities like Canton, China, where the streets are such that wheels can hardly pass over many of them.

When I think of the interesting cities I visited being a mass of ruins I am filled with inexpressible sadness. It was a never ending delight simply to walk up and down the streets of Yokohama and see the sights. Everything was so quaint and strange. Mechanics sit at their work hold a board upright with their toes, draw a saw toward them as well as a plane and do so many things backward but once show a Jap how a thing is made, give him the materials and he will duplicate the article.

Yokohama had many modern buildings as well as thousands of the oriental type. A great many of them were slightly built and made good food for the cruel flames. A Japanese house is furnished when there is nothing in it. The people are scrupulously clean and their humble homes are inviting. The beds are simply several quilts padded together, spread out on the floor at night and rolled up and stowed away in the closet in the daytime.

There is no furniture to dust or care for. All sit on the floor and a position which was torture to me is ease to an oriental. The floors of all houses at all well to do, are polished like the top of a dining room table and to enter such a place wearing shoes would be a gross breach of etiquette. The people wear sandals or flat shoes without tops and heavy stocking with a separate place for the large toes like the thumb of a mitten. These are easily kicked off and easily assumed again. The poor have them as cheap as a cent a pair and made of straw. A fairly good pair made of wood cost me six cents while an ebony article inlaid with pearls would be much more expensive.

The restaurants were a never failing source of entertainment. The Japs are strictly clean and one can eat their cooking without fear and we went many times to dinner at their public eating places.

First, let it be known that in the orient it is not bad manners for persons not invited to a meal to stand about the table and talk to the guest while the latter are eating.

When we went to a restaurant for dinner the first thing we had to do was to remove our shoes for nothing but a stocking foot must tread the polished floors of the restaurant and we generally had from a dozen to forty gaping orientals staring at us

while we were taking off the forbidden footwear.

Sometimes the restaurants had separate rooms for tables and sometimes a general dining hall without partitions. The tables were about four feet long, sixteen inches wide and eight or ten inches from the floor. In each end was a circular hole ten inches in diameter and in it was placed an earthen, or more generally a brass jar the height of the table and filled nearly to the top with ashes.

Four persons were seated at each table. A young person can double up like a tailor but for me it was a trying ordeal and I used to carry along an extra coat and use it for a cushion and sit differently.

Suppose we decide to have vegetable dinner. The guide gives the order and a maid appears with shovel full of live charcoal and places it on the ashes in the receptacle at the end of the table. Next she brings a cast iron fry pan with a lip three fourths of an inch deep and no handle. This she places

on the live coals and in it puts a good sized piece of soup stock which is soon converted to gravy. Next comes strips of beef or some kind of fresh meat six inches long, two inches wide and as thick as pasteboard. Then comes an egg and a lot of fresh vegetables like spinach cut small. The meat and egg one cooks along with the vegetables to suit himself and it makes a palatable dish.

Then each guest is furnished with a quantity of cooked rice in hand-some boxes made of cryptomeria wood resembling mahogany and a bowl from which to eat and two chop sticks of knife and fork. A native uses these affairs as dextrously as need be but to us they were awkward and we had much sport disposing of our meals.

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VIRGINIA

Virginia, Sept. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Figueria of Springfield spent the week end in Virginia.

Hugh Breeden spent Friday in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ericson spent Thursday Jacksonville.

The Church Helpers of the Presbyterian church met Monday evening with Mrs. J. C. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Way and Mrs. Chas. Angier spent Monday in Chandlerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nace Yape and Mrs. Hugh Breeden motored to Springfield Friday.

Mrs. W. J. Decker and Mrs. Roland Keil were Springfield shoppers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Friel of St. Louis are visiting relatives in Virginia.

Mrs. C. C. Woodward and Lester Clark has left for Champaign for future residence. Lester will attend the University of Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Plummer, Mrs. Amy Strole and Miss Priscilla Plummer of Bloomington are spending the week in Virginia.

Miss Pearl Gamble of Chillicothe, Mo., is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. L. A. Weaver.

Miss Agnes Armstrong of Mt. Sterling is visiting in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Finn and Mrs. Charles Angier and daughter and Mrs. Dorothy Gibson motored to Jacksonville Wednesday.

Carl Markel spent the week in St. Louis.

Mrs. B. Lirch spent the latter part of last week in Chandlerville.

Mrs. Elton Michaels of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent Friday in Virginia.

Miss Alpha Kilham has accepted a school at Farmington for the coming year.

Mrs. Robert Hall entertained a few lady friends at a bridge party Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Chamberlain returned Friday to their home in this city after a year's residence in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Max B. Wiles spent the week in St. Louis.

Mrs. Henry Samples and daughter

Miss Hilma of Tremont, have arrived in this city for a few days with Miss Tate.

Capt. W. H. Weaver of Petersburg spent a few days in Virginia.

Frank Collins, Jr., has returned from an extended visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Mae Smith of Peoria is visiting in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Gould leave next week to spend the winter at the Old Soldiers' home in Quincy.

Mrs. Sue Kikendall entertained a few of her lady friends at a dinner party at her home Sunday.

Those present were: Mesdames Jas. Clifford, J. B. Craft of Chicago, A. A. Leeper, Chas. Kikendall, R. E. Widmayer, J. V. Cotta of Crawfordville, Ind., and Ruth Dunham.

Will Meyers of Jacksonville spent Sunday evening in Jacksonville.

Jim Meade was in Beardstown Thursday where he attended the funeral of the late F. Caldwell.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church had an all days meeting at the country home of Mrs. Will Stribling.

NOTICE.
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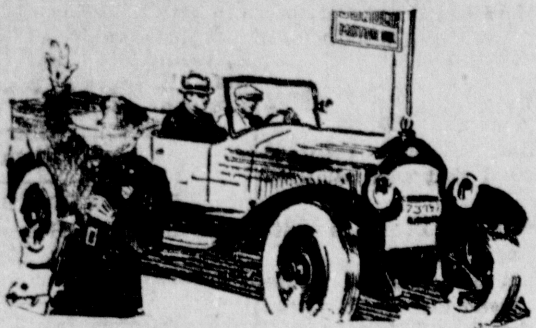
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WAVERLY COUPLE CELEBRATE 15TH MARRIAGE DATE

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Allyn Give Bridge Party On Evening of Anniversary—Other Waverly News.

Waverly, Sept. 6.—Dr. and Mrs. Paul Allyn entertained a company of friends at their home in this city Saturday night to celebrate their fifteenth wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in playing bridge five tables being used. The guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dunseth, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eiter, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Keplinger, Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Deatherage, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rohrer, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Rehner, Miss Elizabeth Stockdale and Dr. Walter H. Allyn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Regden of East St. Louis spent the week end recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dunseth.

Joy Harney left for Beardstown this week where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. Edgar Austin and babe of Peoria are making a visit with her parents and other relatives in this vicinity.

Rev. O. R. Thom has departed for the east and is visiting in Boston and other Massachusetts towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Champagne of St. Louis spent the week end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson of the south side.

Miss Margaret Carlile is making a visit with her aunt, Mrs. H. I. De-Turk.

Mr. and Mrs. Ursel Robinson left the first of the week for their home in Koyomo, Indiana, after making a visit with relatives south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McCready are moving to the Wes Collins farm south of town.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Stowell of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, are here for a visit at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Jennie Laycock.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bateman spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives in Springfield.

Robert Morrow of Springfield is making a visit at the home of Frank Remetsky.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eickhorst southwest of town, have returned from Missouri, where they visited with the latter's parents.

Mrs. Wilson M. Smith was a visitor in Springfield last Saturday.

Russell Ripper of Senath, Mo., is spending this week as the guest of Wayne Cody.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Kavin and son of St. Louis have been visiting here with friends the past few days.

Words have been received by relatives here of the engagement of Miss Mary Ann Terry of Edwardsville to

Francis Gay White of Montclair, New Jersey. Miss Terry is the niece of Miss Lucy Carter and has visited here on a number of occasions and is well known here. She is the daughter of Mrs. Nellie Terry of Edwardsville and is a graduate of Monticello academy. Mr. White resides at the University club in St. Louis. The wedding will take place in the early fall.

A large crowd was in attendance at the chicken fry at Rohrer Chapel church Tuesday. A very bountiful dinner and supper was served and the crowd was well paid for making a several mile trip for their meal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Roberts and daughter, Miss Mae, of Bloomington were guests Sunday and Monday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. M. VanWinkle and family.

The grade school has an enrollment of 240 this year and work is moving along nicely under the supervision of Principal O. H. Kerns and his efficient corps of teachers, who are as follows:

Miss Isabel Fox of Chapin, assistant principal and music.

Miss Ruth Lankton, seventh grade.

Miss Etta Sims, sixth grade.

Miss Lillie Campbell, fifth grade.

Miss Elta Jackson, fourth grade.

Miss Lucille Rodgers, third grade.

Miss Edith Turner, second grade.

Miss Laura Hamilton, first grade.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtiss and

little son have returned to their home in Chicago after spending a few days with Mrs. Fannie Curtiss.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Garrett of the M. E. Church South leaves this week for their new home in Xenia. They have resided in Waverly and have become well known here.

Earl Sevier of South Pekin is spending a few days visiting relatives here.

Wilson M. Smith was a caller in the county seat Tuesday.

A. W. Reagel made a business trip to Jacksonville Tuesday.

Principal O. V. Walters of the high school was called to his home in Macomb Tuesday because of the critical illness of his father who on Wednesday underwent an operation.

Misses Myrtle and Nellie McClain of Atwood are spending this week at the home of their uncle, Dr. N. J. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sears returned home last week from an auto trip to Missouri.

ASBURY CHICKEN FRY IS SUCCESS

The annual Asbury church chicken fry was held last evening and was attended by a good crowd. The affair had been anticipated by numbers of Jacksonville residents, who spent considerable time watching the clouds yesterday. However, the usual afternoon discouraged them somewhat and they wondered if the event would be postponed. But when the rain ceased and the weather cleared slightly they took courage. They turned out in force at Asbury and were not disappointed.

The church had all members on the job to take care of the crowd, and large quantities of well cooked food were served and consumed. The event was pronounced a success and a considerable sum of money rewarded the Asbury people for their efforts and their elaborate preparations.

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P. WALLACE.

Barr's Oyster House will be open for business today with fresh oysters, celery, etc., etc.

GOES TO CARLINVILLE

Miss Betty Baldwin, who has been for several days the guest of Miss Dorothy Farrell and Miss Mary Strawn in this city, has gone to Carlville for a visit with relatives before returning to her home at Evanston.

Mrs. A. C. Bolle left yesterday for Concord for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Aton.

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Cause of "Freakishness" in Messages Is Being Studied, but Appears Hard to Explain.

There are still many mysteries about wireless, and one of its most striking facts as a science is its freakishness. No one knows quite what it will do next. There are some factors that are apparently inexplicable.

The mystery of what are known as "dead" spots is receiving special attention. One of the most troublesome of these spots is to be found over the Red sea, a day out from Aden. Ships steaming through this zone can get no wireless messages whatever. As soon as they pass out of it messages are received with perfect clearness.

Other localities are known as "screened" zones. In these the presence of iron or other ore in the earth is believed to be the source of the trouble. It is only with difficulty, for example, that messages can be transmitted across Spain from west to east, although sending them from north to south entails no trouble. Experts say that the waves are absorbed by mineral deposits in the mountains of the interior.

Some zones are remarkable for their conductivity. This quality is particularly noticeable in Pacific and Australian waters.

Sunset affects wireless in some latitudes very curiously, though no one understands why. Many stations have reported that messages received in England from Paris at sunset have behaved in a most extraordinary fashion, assuming "jazz" characteristics that render them at times very loud and clear, and at others almost inaudible.

WIPING OUT ODD CUSTOMS

Ceremonies That Have Existed in England Since the Norman Conquest Soon to End.

Long ago England was full of ancient manor courts, whose lords—lords of the manor—had power in many cases to impose fines on their tenants.

The tenants held their land by a system called copyhold, and many extraordinary customs existed. A tenant might, for instance, have to pay a certain sum when the lord's eldest daughter was married, the sum being a "fine."

The tenant might have to bring to the lord's court a bundle of firewood on certain days, or a pair of greyhounds for the lord to hunt with. In return for these presents the lord would hand to the tenant a wand cut, perhaps, from a willow tree, as a sign of the tenant's right to hold the land he rented.

Scores of similar customs existed, and some have been kept up to the present day; but a recent act of parliament, the Law of Property act, has swept away all these manor courts and their odd ceremonies, many of which have existed since the Norman conquest.

Nightmare Proved Exciting

It was a shock to the young bridegroom when, upon their honeymoon, he discovered that his wife was given to nightmares from which she awoke with ear-piercing screams. But he tried to comfort his wife in the most approved of method. Then she would fall asleep again and everything would be all right.

Upon their return to town, however, and when they were installed in their newly-rented and newly-furnished apartment, other complications set in. Their bedroom was upon an alrshaft, and they slept with the window wide open. In the middle of the first night wife awoke, giving vent to wild, frightened nightmare screams. Before hubby could quiet her, other windows were flung up, police whistles were blown, and in only a few minutes there came a pounding on the front door of the newly-wed's apartment with shouts of "Open or we'll break in!"—New York Sun.

Ancient English Honor

The first of the English orders of knighthood is the Order of the Bath, which is supposed to date to the period of the ancient Franks, and to have been introduced into England by the Saxons.

The order as at present constituted was instituted by George I, who revived it 198 years ago, May 25, 1725, and fixed the number of knights at 37.

In 1815, the prince regent, afterward George IV., greatly increased the membership, and on May 25, 1847, new statutes were decreed by which the order, hitherto exclusively military, was opened to civilians.

The Order of the Bath gained its name from the fact that the ancient Franks and Saxons made bathing an important part of the rites connected with the creation of knights.

The order was not formally constituted until 1839.

Has Been Affixed to Many

On one occasion Nat Goodwin was sitting in a cafe with some friends. Among others at the next table was a loud individual who had once been introduced to the famous actor. He wanted to make people think he was well acquainted with a celebrity. Accordingly he interlarded his conversation with incessant appeals to Goodwin.

"Isn't that so, Goodwin?" Or, "Don't you think so, Goodwin?" And so on.

Goodwin stood this a while and then responded: "My dear sir, either call me Mr. Goodwin or call me Nat."

The same thing also happened to Christopher Columbus, Samuel Pepys, Robin Hood, Oliver Goldsmith, David Garrick, Napoleon Bonaparte, and the poet Keats.

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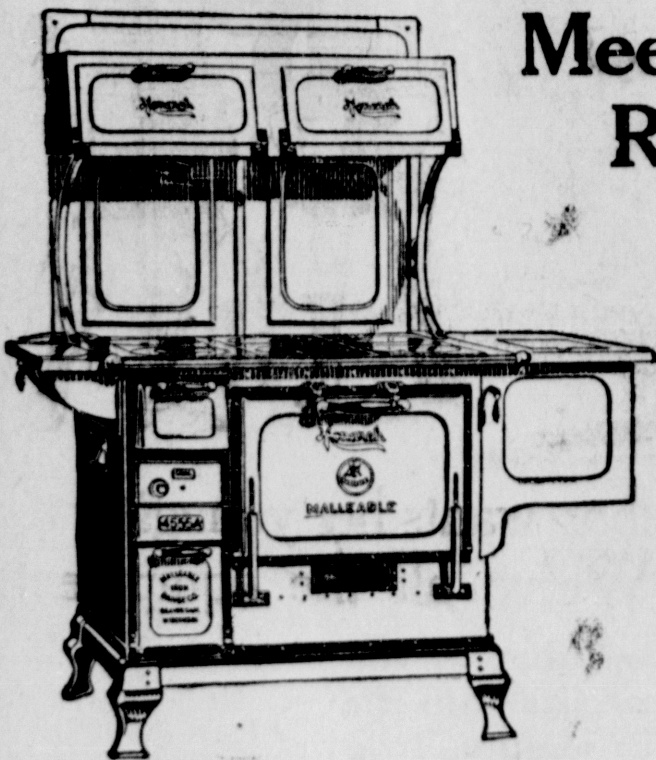


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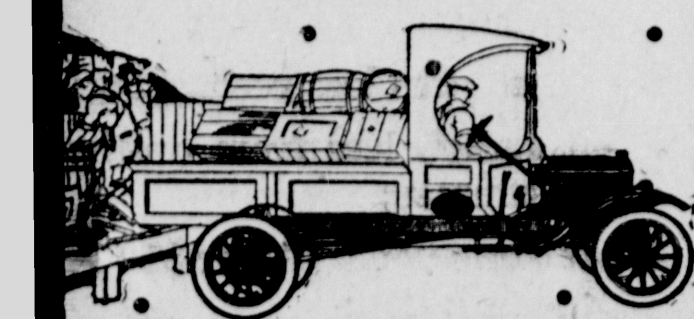
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M. E. CONFERENCE TO MEET AT CHAMPAIGN

Rev. C. R. Morrison, Veteran Minister, Writes About the Crossing Meeting of Methodist—Interesting Historical Facts Given.

(By C. R. MORRISON)

The 100th annual session of the Illinois Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church convenes next Wednesday, Sept. 12th, in Champaign. Bishop Nicholson of Chicago, presiding. This is the fifth time this city has entertained the conference, although before (in 1886) the adjoining city of Urbana was a gracious host to the same body. Bishop Foster presiding.

In 1867 Bishop Kingsley was the presiding officer; in 1894, Bishop Bowman; in 1911, Bishop Moore, and in 1917, during the world war, Champaign was again the kindly host, Bishop Nicholson presiding.

While the conference has reached its 100,000th membership, the city and church of Champaign have advanced greatly in wealth, equipment and members since that day in 1867 when the three bodies, city, church and conference, first became acquainted with each other.

Conference Centenary

Beginning with this session of the conference and culminating with the session in September, 1924, there will be held various celebrations throughout the year and at various places meeting of a centennial nature. Paris, Illinois, has had one such service, already under the leadership of the pastor of the church, Rev. A. S. Chapman.

It was just 100 years ago that Peter Cartwright began his remarkable career in connection with the Illinois Conference. He began his ministerial life as far back as 1802, it was in connection with what was known as the Western Conference up to 1811, then the Tennessee Conference, 1812-15; then the Missouri Conference the first session of which was held at Shiloh, St. Clair county Illinois, in September, 1816—and embraced Missouri, Illinois and Indiana. That part of the conference in Illinois was called "Illinois District" and had S. H. Thompson as presiding elder.

There were four big circuits: the "Illinois," of which Jesse Hade was circuit rider; the "Okaw," Jacob Whitesides, in charge; "Cash River and Big Bay" (having two preachers) Josiah Patterson, senior preacher and William Jones, junior preacher; and "Wabash," John Harris in charge. Cartwright says that Illinois District covered more than two thirds of the geographical boundaries of the state; but with unflinching steps Rev. S. H. Thompson traveled it night and day, seldom missing his appointments, thru cold and heat floods and snow storms.

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and there is very little doubt that he was the most popular and useful preacher in the state. Hundreds, if not thousands from the Illinois district, in the great day of judgment, will hail our beloved brother and call him blessed. "He was candidate for lieutenant governor of the state, but such candidacy was irksome to him, and Governor Reynolds says, "He possessed an irreproachable character and would not tarnish it by any electioneering method as practiced in that day." Fortunately for him and the cause of Christ he loved, he was not elected.

The first camp meeting in what was afterwards Morgan county, Dr. Leaton says was held in the year 1823-4, by Rev. S. H. Thompson, on Walnut Creek, near Lynnvill.

The first session of Illinois Conference, authorized by the General Conference of 1824, was held at the house of William Padfield, in St. Clair county, Illinois. Bishop Roberts presiding, altho Bishops Soule and McKeendree were also present. There were but 32 ministerial members present. John Scripps was elected secretary. The Mississippi Circuit, included what is now the counties of Greene, Jersey, Scott, Macoupin and parts of Morgan and Madison, and was in charge of William Medford. He continued the second year, which was then the time limit, and was then assigned to the Atlas Circuit, then county seat of Pike county.

Conference Program

Under the direction of Rev. H. A. Keck, pastor of the First M. E. Church of Champaign a "strong program" of this 10th session of Illinois Conference has been arranged. In addition to the presence of presiding officer, Bishop Nicholson, there will be present, Bishop McDowell of Washington, D. C., who will deliver the address on Friday evening at the Educational Anniversary; Bishop Oldham of South American Area, who will speak on Wednesday evening on "Our Work Overseas" and Bishop Burns, of Helena, Montana, who will speak Wednesday afternoon on the theme, "Saving America Through Our New Home Missionary Society."

The presence of these four great leaders of Methodism will be of great value to the causes represented.

In addition to these, Dr. James A. Beebe, Dean of the School of Theology in the Boston University, will deliver four addresses at the four o'clock afternoon service each day. The topics are:

"Present Day Tendencies in Religion."

"Social Implications of the Deity of Jesus."

"Evolution and the Apostles Creed."

"Prayer."

On Thursday evening Dr. W. L. Stidger, pastor of St. Mark's M. E. church, Detroit, Michigan will lecture on "Trumpet Blasts." Dr. Stidger has the distinction of preaching to an immense congregation, where the sign "Standing Room Only," is used, which has furnished him a title to one of his popular books. This lecture is provided by the local church to aid in the local expenses of the conference.

After the fraternal greetings of the first day, by Stephen E. Fisher, pastor of the University Place Christian church, Dr. R. E. Dicendorfer of the Mission Board will present the world service program, followed by Dr. W. E. J. Gratz, in an address on "Strengthening the Local Church."

Anniversaries, reunions, banquets, street preaching, fill in the program to completion. Dr. Keck has shown a master hand in providing a feast of most excellent themes for the session.

Laymen

This is the quadrennial session for the laymen, when delegates will be selected to General Conference, next May. That session will be held in Springfield, Mass. Already about 20 candidates are in the field urged by their friends and their local churches for the election, of which 8 only can be selected.

The program announced will be of interest. The meeting will be held in the Parish House a part of the magnificent church building on Thursday and Friday, 13th and 14th, inst. Mr. C. C. Grimmer of Palmyra is president, and Mr. Ira B. Blackstock of Springfield is secretary and treasurer.

Mr. G. S. Tarbox of Arcola, will speak on Christian Stewardship and Personal Evangelism," and Prof. A. R. Crook of Springfield on the "Ideal Minister as I See Him." Dr. Crook is the son of the late Rev. Isaac Crook, once pastor of Grace church, Jacksonville.

The Big Thing of the Year

No one big thing has characterized the Conference work this year, except the Bi-Conference movement in May and June, culminating July 3rd at midnight. Peoria was headquarters for the final returns. The goal for one million, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the Educational Institutions of Illinois and Central Illinois Conferences and the Conference Claimants Endowment fund, was reached by a safe margin when there has been great rejoicing. Champaign-Danville District was credited with the largest contribution as a whole, while Mattoon district with out an institution of the above described class, within its borders stands second. All honor to all. It was a famous victory.

Appointments

But primarily and foremost in interest come the appointments. Much of the preliminary work has been done, at the previous called and regular gatherings of the District Superintendents, with Bishop Nicholson during the summer. It is rumored that several preachers will take a retired relation at this session of the Conference. But reconsideration of their decision may be made. The following are among these considering this change: J. J. Wohlfarth, of Mason City; W. J. Pitner, of Golden;

J. O. Kirkpatrick, of White Hall; M. G. Coleman, of Danville; George E. Springer, of Petersburg; and W. P. Bowman, of Hopedale. There may be others. Members are permitted to retire when reaching the age of 65 or having preached 40 years.

Three district superintendents having reached the sixth year period of service face the possibility of pastoral service, or if continued work on the district, an unpopular demonstration on the part of the conference membership. What Bishop Nicholson may do is a question. The opposition to continued service as a district superintendent beyond six years is not so strong as it was three years ago.

W. F. Fairchild of Mattoon, E. M. Antrim of Springfield, and E. L. Fletcher of Jacksonville have served efficiently six years on their respective districts.

Rumor has it that A. M. Wells of Grace Church, Decatur, is slated for a district, as also A. S. Chapman, of Paris. Other names mentioned are: W. H. McPherson of First Church, Danville and Ex-President Kemp, of Bloomington, who is returning to pastoral service after many years of successful administration of College work. The return of R. F. McDaniel, who has been serving a church in Hastings, Neb., to regular appointment in Illinois Conference, and the year of release asked by B. F. Shipp of Tuscola, is to be voted.

Last year out of 307 pastoral charges, there were 137 changes. This was a lower percentage than has been noted in many years. However, in reviewing the list this year it is surmised that as many, if not more, will move this year as last.

Only two pastors have died, E. S. Vorbeck, aged 43, in Springfield district, and F. B. Ward, of Sidell, aged 48, in the Mattoon district. Eight members on the retired list have passed away; namely, J. W. Crane, P. N. Miner, T. A. Canady, J. L. B. Ellis, J. A. Kummer, A. Wells, M. F. Ault, W. F. Gilmore and C. G. Wood.

Next Conference

The announcement that Grace Church, Jacksonville, will invite the Conference to hold its Centenary session next year is heard with pleasure. It is probable that Bloomington may seek to secure that session, and Urbana is planning a \$300,000 church building, as also Trinity in connection with Wesley Foundation, has plans for a cathedral structure in the interest of the 2000 Methodist students at the State University. It is not likely these churches will extend invitations. In the meantime Danville has purchased a site for a consolidated housing of First Church and Kimber—the union having been previously consummated. These three great churches will give way to the appeal from Jacksonville.

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Seven new cars were brought into the city yesterday over the hard roads from St. Louis for the Claus Motor company. The following persons of this city chauffeured the automobiles over the hard roads by way of Auburn and Waverly: J. F. Claus, Mrs. J. F. Claus, Frances Claus, Hazel Claus, William Gregory, James Pyatt, and Howard Arundel. The trip was a success in every way, plenty of time being allowed to keep the cars in perfect condition.

Barr's Oyster House will be open for business today with fresh oysters, celery, etc., etc.

Orlean Keemer, living on North Main street has left at the Journal office a branch loaded with a fine variety of fruit plums, unusually fine fruit.

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LATEST NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

PIRATES DEFEATED CUBS EASILY 5 TO 1

Pittsburgh Pound Alexander Hard in the First and Third Innings—Main Halts Game in Fifth Frame

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 6.—Hitting Alexander hard in the first and third innings of today's game, Pittsburgh won easily from Chicago, 5 to 1. The Pirates obtained a commanding lead in the first when Traynor, Mueller, Rawlings and Grimm singled after Carey had doubled. The game was stopped by rain while the first Pittsburgh player was at bat in the fifth.

Score: Chicago—AB R H PO A E
Statz, cf . . . 1 2 3 0 0
Adams, ss . . . 2 0 0 1 1
Grimes, 1b . . . 2 0 0 1 0
Friedberg, 3b . . . 2 0 0 2 0
Miller, lf . . . 2 0 1 0 0
Heathcote, rf . . . 2 0 1 0 0
O'Farrell, c . . . 2 0 3 2 0
Alexander, p . . . 1 0 0 1 0
Dumovich, p . . . 1 0 0 1 0

Totals . . . 18 1 5 12 9 0
Pittsburgh—AB R H PO A E
Maranville, ss . . . 3 1 1 2 4
Carey, cf . . . 3 0 2 2 0
Traynor, 3b . . . 3 2 1 0 0
Barnhart, rf . . . 2 2 1 0 0
Mueller, lf . . . 2 0 1 2 0
Rawlings, 2b . . . 2 0 2 2 0
Grimm, 1b . . . 2 0 1 4 0
Goetz, c . . . 2 0 0 3 1
Hamilton, p . . . 2 0 0 1 0

Totals . . . 21 5 9 15 6 1
Chicago . . . 100 00—5
Two base hits, Heathcote, Carey, Stolen base, Traynor, Sacrifice, Grantham. Double plays, Maranville to Grimm; Goetz to Maranville. Left on bases, Chicago 3; Pittsburgh 4. Struck out by Dumovich 1; Hamilton 3. Bases on balls, none. Hits off Alexander 9 in 3 innings; Dumovich none in 1. Losing pitcher, Alexander. Umpires, Klem and Wilson. Time, 1 hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Metz and daughters Doris and Phyllis who have been making an extended visit at the home of Mr. Metz parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Metz on West Oak street left Thursday noon for their home in Sioux City, Iowa.

FIRPO SPENDS DAY LOAFING

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 6.—(By The A. P.)—Luis Angel Firpo spent today loafing about his cottage, entertaining a host of newspapermen, posing for sketch artists and painters and reading what the papers had to say about the man he will meet September 14 for the world's heavyweight title.

There was just a wee bit of work for the South American. This morning after breakfast he went thru a few Argentine setting up exercises and had a rub down that his muscles might be kept in shape. Tomorrow will mark the return to heavy work.

Luis' new motor car arrived today. He didn't take a ride, however.

He contented himself with sitting on the seats and playing with the levers, the wheel and inquiring from those who knew the secrets of all the little accessories.

Firpo was greatly interested in some newspaper reports to the effect that Dempsey was having trouble keeping in physical condition and that he was not the same Dempsey who mauled Willard out of the title. He wondered whether the reports were true.

GIANTS FURTHER INCREASE LEAD

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—The New York Giants increased their lead to four and a half games today, easily defeating the Philadelphia club 5 to 1. It was their 18th victory over Philadelphia in 20 games this season. Bentley pitched for the locals yielding only seven hits and striking out six men. He struck out Williams twice, once with the bases full in the seventh inning. Mitchell pitched his first game for Philadelphia since he injured his hand a month ago. His winning streak of six straight games was broken.

Score: Philadelphia 000 000 100—1 7 0
New York . . . 020 100 115—5 10 1
Mitchell, Betts and Henline; Bentley and Gowdy.

Richard Oxley was a city caller yesterday from Pisgah.

TODAY'S STANDINGS

National League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	83	50	.624
Cincinnati	76	52	.593
Pittsburgh	76	52	.586
Chicago	71	60	.541
St. Louis	65	65	.500
Brooklyn	60	66	.476
Boston	58	73	.443
Philadelphia	42	85	.331

American League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	83	43	.659
Cleveland	69	56	.552
Detroit	64	58	.525
St. Louis	63	60	.512
Washington	61	66	.480
Chicago	56	67	.455
Boston	58	75	.436
Philadelphia	53	72	.424

RESULTS YESTERDAY

National League.
Philadelphia 1; New York 5.
Chicago 1; Pittsburgh 5.
Cincinnati-St. Louis game was postponed on account of rain; were to have played a double header today; will play a double header tomorrow.
No other games scheduled.

American League.
St. Louis-Philadelphia 6.
St. Louis-Chicago game was postponed on account of rain; will play double header Saturday.
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American Association.
Louisville 4; Toledo 0.
Indianapolis 2; Columbus 5.
Milwaukee 6; Minneapolis 2.
Kansas City 2; St. Paul 3; 11 innings.

Three I League.
Terre Haute 9; Decatur 5. See and game rain.
Moline-Bloomington, rain.
Rockford-Peoria, rain.
Evansville 7; Danville 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY

National League.
Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

American League.
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Detroit at Cleveland.
Boston at Philadelphia.

WILLS WILL TAKE NEXT STEP TODAY

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—The next step in an attempt by Harry Wills, negro heavyweight title contender to throw legal entanglements in the path of Jack Dempsey-Luis Firpo championship match will be taken tomorrow morning when an order requiring the state athletic commission to show cause why the bout should not be enjoined is returnable in supreme court.

Papers in the mandamus action were served today upon the commission according to Wills' counsel William Klein.

The commission refused to comment on the situation but it was indicated legal representatives would attend the court hearing tomorrow.

Klein emphasized today that the state athletic commission and not against Tex Rickard, promoter of the Firpo-Dempsey match, which is scheduled at the Polo Grounds on September 14. Rickard, however, said he probably would be represented in any legal proceedings.

Wills' action is based upon his claim that because of a formal challenge and \$25,000 forfeit he posted more than a year ago with the commission for a match with Dempsey, he has prior right to box the title holder.

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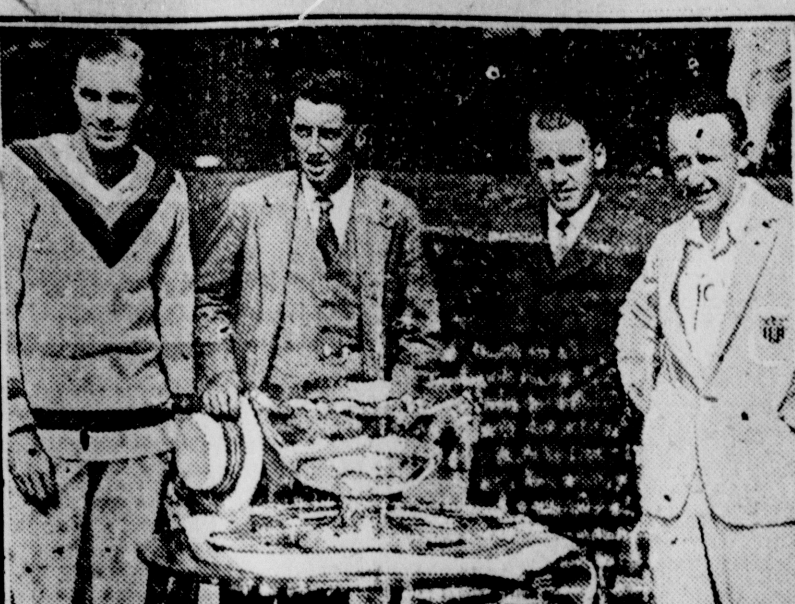
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In a year you will scarcely know he is the same boy, they grow up that fast. But photographs of children never grow up.

Mollenbrok & McCullough

DAVIS CUP WINNERS



The American tennis team which successfully defended the Davis Cup in the finals against the Australian players at Forest Hills, N. Y. Left to right, Tilden, Williams, Richards and Johnson.

STATE FAIR OFFERS LARGE RACE PURSES

Many of the Best Trotters and Pacers of the Season Will Perform—Track in Best Possible Condition

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (By The A. P.)—Some of the best trotters and pacers of the present season are entered in the speed events for the Illinois State fair opening September 15. The entry list approved by General Manager Walter V. Lindley, indicates many of the stars of the grand circuit have thought the fair track worthy of their mettle.

The state fair advisory board has offered \$25,000 to winners of the speed events. The historic track, over which the various events will be decided, has been slow over the past season, but has been ironed out in order to put it in the best possible condition when the first fields are sent away on Monday, Sept. 17.

Followers of the running game will have their inning this year. For the first time in state fair history, the opening day will be devoted to runners, which will end with a decision in the Illinois derby at a mile and a sixteenth. The running events are at one-half, five-eighths, three-quarters and a mile, and the purses will range from \$200 to \$300. In addition, one running race will be decided each day at the conclusion of the harness events.

Indications are that some of the stars of the turf which are entered in the stake events will try to set a new track record. The present mark is 2:00 1-4 set last September by Sanardo, driven by "Pop" Geers. A special purse and a loving cup will be given the owner of the horse setting a new mile record.

With the opening race day, Sept. 17, given over to the runners, the speed program for the remaining days of the fair follows:

Tuesday, Sept. 17—2:20 pace, purse, \$1,000; 2:24 trot, purse, \$1,500; 2:10 trot, purse, \$1,200; two year old futurity, \$800, purse, \$1,500; 2:09 pacing stake, \$3,000.

Wednesday, Sept. 19—2:26 trot, purse, \$1,000; 2:15 pace, purse, \$1,500; 2:09 pacing stake, purse, \$3,000; 2:05 pace, purse, \$1,200.

Thursday, Sept. 20—2:12 trot, purse, \$1,000; 2:18 pace, purse, \$1,000; 2:08 trotting stake, \$3,000; three year old pace, purse, \$800; 2:12 pace, purse, \$1,000; free-for-all pace, \$1,500; three year old trot, \$800.

Friday, Sept. 21—2:17 trot, purse, \$1,000; 2:18 pace, purse, \$1,000; 2:08 trotting stake, purse, \$3,000; three year old pace, \$800; 2:12 pace, purse, \$1,000; free-for-all pace, \$1,500; three year old trot, \$800.

Saturday, Sept. 22, will be given over to automobile races in which dirt track stars of the country will compete.

"The speed card for this year's fair promises to bring together in competition some of the star pacers and trotters of the turf," said Walter Ireland of Peoria, superintendent of speed. "The early and late closing events have been large and racing fans are assured a program far out of the ordinary."

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Miss Nan Charleton and sister, Mrs. Livingston, returned last evening from an extended visit with Mrs. Livingston's daughter, Mrs. Frank German, in Chicago.

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DEMPSEY SCORES WILLS AND MULLINS

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Sept. 6.—(By The A. P.)—Harry Wills, negro challenger for the world's heavyweight championship, will never have a chance to win the title while Jack Dempsey is champion. The title holder made this declaration tonight after receiving word that Paddy Mullins, manager of Wills, had instituted legal action in an attempt to stop the Dempsey-Firpo match at New York, September 14.

Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager, left immediately for New York upon receipt of a message from Tex Rickard, promoter of the contest. Kearns said he had been summoned to make an affidavit for the champion and himself explaining their connections with the fight.

Dempsey was fighting mad when word reached him that Mullins was endeavoring to stop the match with the giant South American because of Dempsey's failure to meet Wills first.

He became further enraged after Kearns had communicated with Rickard and the situation was explained.

"This means that Wills never will get a chance at the title while I am champion," Dempsey said. "He doesn't deserve a chance after such tactics. I had intended taking him on if I still held the title after boxing Firpo, but I will not do it now under any consideration. There is no chance for either Mullins or Wills or their lawyers stopping my bout with Firpo. I am confident of that."

Dempsey today started to ease up in his training reducing his boxing to four rounds instead of the customary six or eight, and eliminated the work of attacking the leather-filled swinging dummy.

Manager Kearns explained the reduction by saying Dempsey was ready to enter the ring tomorrow.

The champion displayed characteristic speed and aggressiveness in his boxing. Dempsey boxed two rounds each with Farmer Lodge and George Godfrey, giving them only thirty seconds rest between rounds. Lodge wished that he could have rested for an hour between the two rounds he faced the champion because of the rough voyage. As soon as they came out of their corners Dempsey smashed Lodge with a left hook to the chin, sending him spinning into the ropes.

Dempsey set a furious pace for the two rounds with Godfrey, landing effectively with an overhand right to the jaw, while the big negro attempted to dance around the champion and keep him at a safe distance with left jabs.

The staff of sparring partners will be increased tomorrow with the arrival of The Jamaica Kid, a 170 pound negro who helped train Dempsey for his match with Jess Willard in Toledo four years ago.

GRAND JURY LOOKS AT FIGHT PICTURE

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—The federal grand jury today witnessed an exhibition of the moving pictures of the Dempsey-Gibbons prize fight pictures which were seized by federal officials yesterday after an attempt to show them here. Edwin L. Weisal, assistant United States district attorney said that one purpose in showing the films was to present evidence against James McGrath, arrested several days ago charged with violating the federal law by transporting the films in interstate commerce. Mr. Weisal said that it is found that others than McGrath were interested in transportation of the films a charge of conspiracy will be made. The grand jury took no action today, according to reports.

DAVIS SWITCH.

Miss Catherine and Agnes O'Meara have gone to Chicago where they will teach school this winter.

Mrs. John Costello is spending a few days near Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Crouse were callers on their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leach last Monday.

Mrs. Agnes Grimmer and children were Monday callers on her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Frye have moved from Big Sandy coal mine to Jacksonville.

CARDINALS WILL BE HERE TUESDAY

Big League Team Will Show Here Earlier Than Was Anticipated—Large Crowd Is Looked For

Manager Smith of the Indians yesterday received a wire from the business manager of the Cardinals stating that they will positively be here with their regular lineup for an exhibition game at 2:15 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon at South Side park.

According to previous plans the Cards were expected on either the 13th or 14th, but they have notified Manager Smith that the 11th is the day most suited to their convenience as they will leave Tuesday evening on the Washash after the game for Mendon where they will play an exhibition game on Wednesday. On account of the closer date the advance sale of tickets will start today with a rush as the 1,500 admissions must be sold to guarantee the price necessary for the appearance of the team here. All of the members of the local team and several fans will act as ticket salesmen, and tickets may also be purchased at the Elks Club, Ben's Place on South Main street, Smith's Meat Market on North Main street, and the Economy store on West State street.

The price will be 55 cents for a single admission and \$1.00 for a ticket admitting two persons to the game.

Manager Smith will use practically his regular lineup, with the exception of Fanning who cannot leave his school in Carleton on that day. The choice for hurling will rest between Fryman, Hartman and Dove. Seating room for between 1,500 and 2,000 people will be built this week and there will be an abundance of room inside the grounds for the parking of cars south of the grand stand.

Practically all local fans have expressed their approval of the arrangement and they should by all means come to Frank Smith's assistance now when he is trying to give the local rooters their money's worth, and show their appreciation by the early purchase of tickets, as he has taken a great deal of responsibility in arranging for the game trusting to the loyalty of his home crowd to keep him from going everlasting in the hole.

RECORD OF HUSKERS IMPRESSES ILLINOIS

Urbana, Ill., Sept. 6.—With the nearness of the Nebraska game with the University of Illinois eleven, October 6, of Illinois field, a bit of Nebraska gridiron history is timely.

Nebraska's "1922 record rates it among the leading teams of the country. Winning seven out of eight games, the only defeat by Syracuse on an arduous eastern trip, the Cornhuskers were champions of the Missouri Valley. One victory was over Notre Dame, 14 to 6.

Other famous years in the Cornhusker gridiron annals were 1903, 1913, 1914 and 1915, in which Nebraska was undefeated. Three times the University of Illinois eleven has ventured to Lincoln to meet defeat; 0-6 in 1892, 10-16 in 1904 and 0-24 in 1905. The game this fall will be their first on Illinois field.

In 1900 the Huskers went until the last game without a defeat. In 1902 the Nebraska goal line was not crossed.

In thirty-two seasons, the Cornhuskers have won 156 of the 213 games played, a percentage of .733 or an average of over seven out of every ten games. Nebraska has scored 5,084 points to their opponents' 1,475.

Nebraska has won 13 out of 18 games with Iowa. Missouri has yet to win a game from them, losing 13 times. Against Ames, Nebraska has won 13 out of 19 games. Kansas has met defeat 18 times in 27 starts.

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Harry Samples, day cook at the Loop cafe will leave Monday to take a similar position in Peoria.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—John A. Heydler, president of the National League, today paid tribute to John B. (Dots) Miller, former baseball star, who died at Saranac Lake, last night.

"I am deeply shocked to hear of Miller's death," said Mr. Heydler. "I know him very well and always admired his playing ability. He was a brainy player, well liked everywhere and a credit to baseball, to which he gave his best."

It was recalled in baseball circles here today that Miller as manager of the San Francisco club of the Pacific Coast League had much to do with the development of Willie Kamm and Jimmy O'Connell, two high priced recruits who have made good in major league's this season. Kamm a third baseman, was bought by the Chicago White Sox for \$100,000 and O'Connell an outfielder, was obtained by the New York Giants for \$75,000.

CAPTURE CHARTER OAK FOR THE SIXTH TIME

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 6.—Pearl Benbow won the thirty-eighth renewal of the \$10,000 Charter Oak stake, the feature of the Grand Circuit meeting here, defeating Taurida in three close finishes this afternoon. Pearl Benbow won the first heat by half a length, but Taurida captured the second when Murphy's \$25,000 trotter broke in the stretch. Taurida came fast in the stretch in the third heat but could not catch Murphy's mount. The time for each heat was 2:04 1/2. It was Murphy's sixth Charter Oak stake win.

Edward Marque, another of the Murphy stable, won the 2:06 pace from Bonnie Del. Willington won the 2:08 pace from Lambert Todd taking the first two heats but being outbrashed by Murphy's pacer in the third. The two leading pacers of the field traveled the last half of the second mile in 59 1/2 seconds.

Summaries

2:06 pace, \$1,000.
Edward Marque won; Bonnie Del, second; The Bengal, third. Best time, 2:04 1/2.

The Charter Oak Stake, 2:12 trot, \$10,000.

Pearl Benbow won; Taurida, second; Mrs. Yerkes, third.

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All daily except Sunday.
CHICAGO, PEORIA & ST. LOUIS
South Bound
No. 37 ar. Jacksonville 5:30 p.m.
North Bound
No. 35 lv. Jacksonville 7:07 a.m.

Peoria Livestock
PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 6.—Hogs
receipts 1600; 10 and 25 lower;
top 9.15; lights 9.00 to 9.15;
mediums 9.00 to 9.15; heavies
8.50 to 9.05; packers 6.75 to
7.75.

Cattle receipts light, dull and
weak; veal top around 10.00.

Peoria Grain
PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 6.—Corn
receipts 46 cars; unchanged to
be lower; No. 1 and 2 yellow 88c;
No. 3 yellow 83c; No. 2 mixed 87c.
Oats unchanged; No. 2 white
39c to 40c.

Wheat receipts 3 cars.

Market Report

CONFLICTING PRICE
MOVEMENTS THURSDAY

FINANCIAL.
Total stock sales 633,100
shares.
Twenty industrials averaged
93.90; net gain .92.
High 1923 — 105.38; low
86.91.
Twenty railroads averaged
79.55; net loss .11.
High 1923 — 90.63; low
76.78.

NEW YORK, Sept. 6.—Con-
flicting price movements took
place in today's stock market re-
sulting in the play of opposing
speculative forces. Prices showed
a firm tone during the morning
but realizing sales came into
the market later cancelling many
of the earlier gains. The aver-
ages showed little change on the
day. Speculators for the decline
offered the oils freely on reports
of additional gasoline cut on the
Pacific coast and continued in-
crease in production but they
made little headway.

Pan-American issues each
dropped about two points, but re-
covered half of their losses later,
and the other active shares in
that group showed only fractional
recessions.

Independent steels were bid
up sharply on reports of further
inquiries for the product from
Japanese sources but the early
gains were not mentioned. Re-
public closed 2 points higher.
Youngtown sheet and tube 2 1/2
and Bethlehem nearly one but U.
S. Steel common and gulf states
closed fractionally lower.

Preliminary estimates of the
reduction in unfilled orders of the
United States Steel corporation
in August which will be announ-
ced next Monday range from 350
to 500,000 tons.

Nickel Plate issues were again
strong.

Davison Chemical fluctuated
within a narrow range of five
points closing at 50 1/4 up 1 1/4. The
New York Stock Exchange which
investigated the violent fluctua-
tions of the stock of August 3,
when a jump of 20 points was
followed by a decline of 22 points
announced today that the market
movement of that date was "an
unusual result of an enormous
public speculation in the stock
and in no way due to manipula-
tion."

Foundation company dropped
3 1/2 points on selling attributed to
fear of possible losses in Japan
but recovered about half of its
losses on publication of a re-
port by the company that the full
dividends for 1923 had been
earned in the first seven months
of this year.

Trading in the foreign ex-
change market slackened some-
what with slight eissions noted
in the principal European
currencies. German marks
touched another new low at 2 1/4
cents a million.

United States government
bonds held steady, the fluctua-
tions being limited to less than 1
of one point.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Cattle re-
ceipts 10,000. Beef steers and
yearlings generally steady with
yesterday's decline; mostly short
fed and grassers of value to sell
at 8.75 to 11.00; top matured
steers 12.85; best yearlings 11.50
few loads. Texas steers 5.85;
numerous loads of Kansas aver-
aging around 10.50 pounds 7.75;
string of Texas stock heifers
4.50; she stock generally steady;
native grassers and short feeds
being most numerous at 4.50 to
6.00; canners and cutters 2.50 to
3.00; heavy bologna bulls strong
to 15c higher; others steady bulk
bologna bulls 3.75 to 4.35; light-
er offerings downward to 3.00;
vealers 5.00 higher; bulk vealers
to packers 11.00 to 11.75; few up
to 12.00; stockers and feeders
steady; country outlook fairly
broad; numerous loads of fleshy
cows, running on country ac-
count, at 7.75 to 9.25.

Hogs 32,000. Mostly 15 to 20
cents lower than yesterday's av-
erage; closed dull to 25c lower;
bulk good and choice 160 to 230
pound average 9.05 to 9.25; prac-
tical top 9.25; three loads choice
lights 9.35; desirable 240 to 325
pound butchers largely 8.50 to
9.00; most packing sows 7.25 to
7.60; good strong weight pigs
8.25 to 8.50; estimated holdover
20,000.

Sheep receipts 21,000. Fat
lambs strong to 15c higher; sheep
slow and steady; bulk fat west-
ern lambs 13.00 to 13.15; some
held higher; natives mostly 12.25
to 12.50; top 12.75; culls largely
9.00 to 9.50; bulk heavyweights
fat ewes 6.00 to 6.50; extreme
heavies around 4.00; feeding
lambs, yearlings and aged wean-
ers steady; most feeding lambs
around 62 pounds 13.25 to 13.50;
good feeding yearlings 10.75;
fat fed weathers of good
grade 7.25.

Kansas City Livestock
KANSAS CITY, Sept. 6.—Cattle
5,000 head; all classes killing
steers steady; top steers and

FORMER RESIDENTS VISITORS IN ASHLAND

Mrs. Jack Brown Enjoyed Visit With Father for First Time In 35 Years—Other Interesting News Items From Ashland.

Ashland, Sept. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. George Hodgson and daughter of Wichita, Kansas and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hodgson of Los Angeles, California, had a pleasant visit last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown, of Ashland.

Mr. George Hodgson is Mrs. Brown's father, and it has been 35 years since they had met. It is needless to say the meeting was a pleasant one and Mrs. Brown was surprised as she was not aware they were coming.

Mr. Hodgson is also a brother of Mrs. Martha Fox, of Sinclair, and a brother of Joe and Jim Hodgson. He resided in Morgan county many years ago, and while here met many old friends and recalled old times. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hodgson have been touring the country since the first of June, and they think Illinois is the best state they have passed thru and all report a pleasant trip.

Mrs. Joe Bowers has been on the sick list the past week.

John Balsley of Springfield spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. O. N. Daniel.

The Ladies of the Baptist church had a very large crowd at their

chicken supper last Thursday evening.

William Kennedy was a week-end guest of Jacksonville relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Nix and John Nix attended the Menard county fair at Petersburg Wednesday.

Evelyn Bowers of Springfield spent Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Amanda Watt of near Jacksonville has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Sam Ray the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Balsley and family of Hillsboro spent Sunday at the home of O. N. McDaniel.

John Furrier of Easton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Newt Nix.

George Barrows is taking a course at Brown's Business college in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shepherd, William Lloyd and Phyllis, came to Ashland by automobile Sunday from Green Valley, Ill., and were guests for the day of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thanert.

L. W. Nottingham was a visitor Sunday from Springfield.

Ralph Meyers and Verne Smith of Beardstown were week-end visitors with Ashland friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Butler and son, Paul, were Sunday visitors from Pleasant Plains.

Mrs. Ruth Winter of Springfield spent Sunday in Ashland.

Misses Marie and Bessie Haggard have returned from a week's visit with friends in Chicago and Gary, Indiana.

J. H. Hubbs of Prentice called on Ashland acquaintances Monday morning.

Miss J. May Spear who has been here enjoying a two months' rest with her sister, Miss M. E. Spears returned Monday to her duties as teacher in the St. Louis schools.

Miss Helena Betcher arrived in Ashland Saturday from Chicago and was a guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Betcher. She returned Monday afternoon.

Albert Martin who has been in military training the past month at Camp Custer Michigan, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wyatt and daughter Miss Lois, were week-end guests in Bloomington, of their son, Stuart Wyatt and family.

Mrs. Sarah Harbinger is here from St. Louis for an indefinite stay with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Hexter.

Miss Ethel Shortridge was a Sunday and Monday visitor from Jackson, of Misses Glenna and Eula Bailey.

Mrs. George Flinn was an Ashland arrival Monday afternoon from Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hexter, son, Junior and Mrs. Sarah Harbinger motored to Springfield Monday evening.

C. C. Judy and daughter, Miss Mary were Monday evening business visitors from Tallula.

Ben Luck was among the visitors Monday morning from Tallula.

C. P. Corson drove in from the Bethel neighborhood Monday and spent the afternoon.

Joseph Bowers of Beardstown was a Sunday and Monday visitor with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henderson, George and Mae Ruth, of West Menard, Mrs. J. A. Henderson, Mary Louise Epperly and Mrs. Samuel Kinnear and son Ison, of Tallula, drove to Ashland Monday evening and called on Mrs. Mary Hewitt.

Miss Gertrude Sahey, assistant telephone operator at Chicago, is her for a three weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sahey.

Miss Helen Sahey has gone to Chicago for an indefinite stay with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins were business visitors Tuesday afternoon from Prentice.

Mrs. Floyd Fry, Mrs. J. H. Hubbs and son Bennett drove to Ashland Tuesday afternoon from Prentice.

Misses Marie and Bessie Haggard, Miss Lottie Beggs, Oliver Hays, Lloyd and Ray Klein were Jacksonville visitors Saturday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Eales have returned to St. Louis after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lohman.

Miss Kate DeHaven returned Monday to Jacksonville after a few days' stay at the W. S. Reaick household.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Maurer are here from Beardstown, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Votsmeir.

Adaline and Harry Batterton of Petersburg called on Mr. and Mrs. Guy G. Glenn Monday morning.

Mrs. Mattie Hill was called to Birmingham, Alabama, Saturday on account of the serious illness of her son, Ollie Hill.

Miss Luitie Beggs left Monday for LaSalle, Ill., to assume her duties as librarian at the community high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Nix and Mr. and Mrs. Case were visitors to Decatur Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Lohman, Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner and daughter Lelia May were Saturday shoppers in Springfield.

Miss Rose Keller motored from St. Louis Sunday to Ashland and visited with Mrs. William Gerbing and Mrs. Guy G. Glenn.

Miss Ada Glenn left Friday to her work in Chicago after a vacation of a month with relatives.

James Lanham of Springfield, was calling on Ashland friends Tuesday and Wednesday.

George S. Burgen, J. A. Way and Charles Weeks drove to Petersburg Tuesday to attend the Menard county fair.

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2 pickled tongues in glass jar, 2 jars.....25c
Dozen jars\$1.35

SLICED DRIED BEEF
New fresh goods, 3½ ounce jars, regular price 20c, sale price 2 jars.....25c
Dozen jars\$1.35

CORNER BEEF
1½ lb. cans22c

SOAP
20 bars P. & G. and 10 qt. pail\$1.10

CRISCO
4 1 lb. cans and 10 quart pail89c

LOOK—75c for THIS LOT
5 pkg. Napha Washing Powder
2 pkg. Ivory Flakes
3 bars Toilet Soap
3 bars Tar Soap
10 quart galvanized pail.

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